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## BILL HIGH CLASS FAIR ATTRACTIONS

JUDGE HANECY RECEIVING APPLICATIONS FOR CONCESSIONS THROUGHOUT U. S.

## ARTHUR KNIGHT STARTER

**Famous Horse Racing Man to Act as Official in Events Here; Hanecy to Corning Next Tuesday.**

The fact that the coming Nodaway County Fair which will be on in this city Aug. 11 to 16, is a really worth while attraction and occupies a prominent place in the entertainment world is attested to by the large number of applicants for concessions. Judge Hanecy stated today that calls from all over the United States have been received applying for the concession privileges at the Fair. He said that the contracts have been let for a wide number of high class side attractions in condition to the regular features and that Nodaway county will be afforded some of the best shows that can be billed.

The plans for the horse racing events are going forward with a rush and every day brings new entries to the already large field.

The management has been fortunate in securing the services of Arthur McKnight, one of the foremost starters in the country, to act as an official in the racing events. Mr. McKnight is well known to every follower of the horse racing game, and is considered the best race starter in the country.

The publicity end of the coming Fair is being carried on throughout the county, and practically every town in this vicinity has been placarded with bills and posters calling attention to the event.

Judge Hanecy announced today that he would leave with Ben Jones, of Parnell, next Tuesday to visit the Fair which is in progress now at Corning, Iowa. While at that place he will make arrangements for the showing of several crack harness horses here, and will also complete his plans for the draft horse and other live stock exhibits.

## DELIA CORBETT ASKS DIVORCE PLEA "INHUMAN" TREATMENT

**Alleges That Her Husband Bodily Ejected Her From the House and Other Cruelties.**

A divorce suit was filed with the circuit clerk today in which Mrs. Delia Corbett prays for a divorce from Dale Corbett. The plaintiff alleges, as grounds for divorce, "cruel and inhuman treatment" at times when she was sick. She further alleges that the defendant cursed her and permitted his two minor children by another wife to abuse her. She states that maters grew from bad to worse and that, after threatening to do so several times, the defendant finaly bodily ejected her from the house and that she has never since lived with him.

**Mrs. Heath and Son to Minnesota.**

Mrs. Clara Heath and small son, John Henry, left yesterday for White Bear Lake near St. Paul, Minn., where they will spend several weeks with the latter's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Heath, who have a cottage there. Mr. and Mrs. Heath's daughter, Miss Delia Heath, has just returned from overseas where she had been engaged in Red Cross canteen work since last September.

## INTERESTING DISCUSSIONS FOR MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

Rev. E. E. Snod[illegible] ...upletes List of Subjects to ... Up: 80 Members ... lass.

State Historical Society COLUMBIA

Topics of interes[illegible] ...ry month of the year, is the p[illegible] Rev. R. E. Snodgrass of the C[illegible] church, has formulated for hi[illegible] Bible Class which meets every [illegible] morning at the Electric Theatre, and some good lively debates will undoubtedly be forthcoming among the class members. The class has enjoyed a rapid growth since its organization several weeks ago and the attendance now numbers 80. Current events as well as religious subjects are taken up by the young men of the class. Following is the list of subjects that have been selected by Rev. Snodgrass for discussion: August, "Training fo Full Efficiency;" September, "Restoring the Weak Spots;" October, "Good Government;" November, "Overthrowing Enemies;" December, "Making the Church Christian."

Tomorrow the subject of discussion will be "The Community Task" and next Sunday will be "A Survey of the Commercial and Social Co-operation."

## BOY SCOUTS MARCHED TO CAMP THIS MORNING

**80 Lads From Maryville, Hopkins, and Ravenwood, Headed by Commandant Peery Leave City at 6.**

Headed by Commandant Marve Peery approximately 80 boy scouts of Maryville, Hopkins, and Ravenwood, departed at 6 o'clock this morning on their 13 mile hike to the Scout encampment which is to be held until July 28 at the Linville farm near Skidmore.

The Hopkins and Ravenwood contingents came to Maryville yesterday afternoon and spent the night at the Scout headquarters in this city preparatory to the advance this morning. Most of the Maryville scouts spent their "last night" at their respective homes, and it is said that when the khaki clad youths departed, many a scene similar to those enacted last year when the United States was marshalling her yuong monhood took place.

At the Scout headquarters last night the visiting lads got a touch of the soldiers life. Cots were a minus quantity at the headquarters, and the boys rolled in their blankets in true scout fashion and "hit the boards" for their night's slumber. The spirit of the Boy Scout was shown by these hardy youngsters, however, and before long the juvenile soldiers were enjoying sound healthy sleep in their new "billet."

The trip to Skidmore this morning was made with the full pack and equipment, and several lads carried regulation army mess kits and other pharaphernelia which they had borrowed from their older brothers.

Commandant Peery stated this morning before the march started that he expected to reach the camp objective by noon today, and the snappy manner in which the Scouts started off indicated that they would.

The camp was placed in order by a group of Scouts from this city who went to the site yesterday morning.

**Frank Garrett Buys Farm.**

A real estate deal whereby Paul Sexton sold a 120 acre farm, located six miles south of Maryville, to Frank Garrett of this city, has been made through the G. B. Holmes Real Estate Company. The consideration was $21,000.

Mr and Mrs. James D. Frank and son, J. D., Jr., of Livingston, Texas, will arrive tonight for a visit with Mr. Frank's sister, Mrs. Fred Kurtz, his brother, W. C. Frank, and other relatives. Enroute to Maryville they visited relatives in Kansas City and King City.


First M. E. Church—

*Sunday Evening, July 20*

*Sermon Subject—"CLEMENCEAU, THE PATRIOT"*

*Everyone is Cordially Invited*

SEE

**ANITA STEWART**

IN JACQUES FUTRELLE'S CRASHING DARAMA OF STAGE LIFE

**"The Painted World"**

A VITAGRAPH PRODUCTION, DIRECTEY BY RALPH INCE

MONDAY AND TUESDAY, JULY 21 AND 22. MATINEE AT 2:30—6c AND 11c. NIGHT 8 and 9:30—11c AND 17c.

TONIGHT, CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG IN "SHIRLEY KAYE."

**ELECTRIC THEATRE**


## HOLD CHAUTAUQUA AT H.S. GROUNDS

TO FOLLOW OUT PLAN PRESENTED BY T. F. GRAHAM, MANAGER

## S. T. C. SITE PROHIBITIVE

**Executive Committee at Meeting This Afternoon Figure $150 Necessary to Put Latter Grounds in Condition.**

Unless the citizens of Maryville take some definite action to have the coming Redpath-Vawter Chautauqua show at the State Teachers College Park, it will be held at the Maryville High School grounds. This was decided at the meeting of the executive committee held this afternoon at the office of Chairman G. B. Roseberry.

In the discussion at the meeting this afternoon, it was brought out that T. F. Graham, Assistant Manager of the Chautauqua on his visit to Maryville several months ago decided upon the High school site as the logical location for the entertainment, owing to its easy access by the townspeople. In the contract a clause states that the chautauqua may be held at any place to be decided on by the guarantors, and due to the desire of several of these men to have the affair staged at the Teachers College park, the differences were brought up at the meeting yesterday.

It was pointed out by Chairman Roseberry at the meeting this afternoon that the staging of the chautauqua at the College park would mean the expenditure of at least $150. He said that the buildings formerly used for the entertainment have deteriorated and would have to be rebuilt, and that a new pipe line would have to be put in to furnish a water supply. In addition to this, Mr. Roseberry stated that a special policeman would be necessary at the College site, while if the program is put on at the High School, the city police will be able to furnish the necessary protection.

The committee decided at the meeting this afternoon to allow the chautauqua to be put on at the High school grounds unless some outside committee of citizens take enough interest in the matter to raise the necessary funds to move it to the College grounds.

The chautauqua tent will be erected on the site where the Scoville revival meetings were held, in the northwest corner of the school grounds facing on Second street.

A committee composed of George McMurray, and Earl Barmann will have charge of the grounds, and a convenient place for parking cars will be set aside near the tent.

## THREE BUDDIES ARRIVE HOME AFTER A YEAR ACROSS SEAS

**Elmer Bagby, Robert Burris and Paul Wilson Return Home After Touring Europe With Uncle Sam.**

Three buddies in the persons of Robert Burris, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burris, Elmer Bagby, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Bagby and Paul Willson son of Mr. and Mrs. U. I. Willson of Barnard, stepped off the morning train from St. Louis glad to see the old burg again after a year spent in touring France with Uncle Sam.

These three boys were members of the 441st Motor Supply Train, attached to the Third Regular Army Division. They have been in the same company since they arrived at camp from Maryville at the time of their induction into the service. The three received their discharge at Camp Zachary Taylor, Louisville, Kentucky, recently.

**On Motor Trip to Ozarks.**

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wallace and children, Katherine, Ethel and Edwin, will leave tomorrow morning on a motor trip to the Ozarks where they will spend ten days or two weeks. They will be accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Manchester and Mr. and Mrs. George Manchester and children of Skidmore.

**Miss Stella Smith Home.**

Miss Stella Smith, who has been teaching in San Antonio, Texas, arrived last night to spend the rest of the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Q. Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Smith's son, Chas. W. Smith of Kansas City, will come tonight to join his wife and children, Sheldon and Mary Eleanor, who have been visiting here for several weeks.

## COMETS TO MEET THE AGENCY NINE TOMORROW

**Rollers Have Good Record, Beating Teams That Have Taken Comets Into Tow; Stockyards Again July 27.**

The Maryville Comets will meet the Agency, Mo., nine at the Fair grounds park tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The Agency team represents the big rolling plant at that place, and according to the record which they have made should give the Comets a good run. They have defeated both the St. Joe Stockyards and the Westab team of that place which took the Comets into tow on the local lot last Sunday.

Cap Black has arranged for a game wit the Stockyards team here on Sunday, July 27. On August 3 the Comets will play the Chases of St. Joe and will journey to Albany on August 17 where they will meet the team of that place.

## OUTLINING WORK FOR SHORT COURSE

TO BE HELD AT COLLEGE THE WEEK OF JULY 28 TO AUGUST 4

## SPECIALISTS TO TEACH

**Prof. Holden Will Be Here in Person and Have Supervision of the Work—Many to Attend.**

The outline of the work to be done in the short course in vitalized agriculture which is to be held at the State Teachers College during the week of July 28 to August 4 is being worked out by County Superintendent Bert Cooper and will be completed some time next week.

Prof. P. J. Holden will have personal charge of the work and will have with him as assistant specialists in various phases of vitalized agriculture.

It is planned to have at least two classes for demonstration purposes and possibly more, if the work can not be handled in the two classes.

Many county superintendents and superintendents of schools from this part of the state have signified their intention of coming here for the short course.

Mrs. L. P. Markley, one of Prof. Holden's specialists, will have charge of the vitalized agriculture extension department and will be here for the entire week. This department promises to be one of the features of the course.

Mrs. Pratt another expert in her line of work, will conduct the home demonstration department. This will be one of the most interesting phases of the week's course.

Besides the two above named specialists, Prof. Holden will bring others with him to assist him in his instruction work. However, it has not definitely been decided who the other members of Prof. Holden's corps of teachers will be at this date.

## AIR POSTAGE TO TWO CENTS

**Is Reduced to Regular Rate for First Class Mail.**

Washington, July 19.—Postmaster General Burleson yesterday reduced the postage rate on airplane mail to two cents an ounce, the regular rate for first class mail matter, and placed the air mail service on the same footing with all other means of mail transportation.

The effect of the order, Otto Praeger, second assistant postmaster general, explained, is to place all first class mail on the same basis, and the questioon of time in mailing will determine whether or not a letter will go by airplane instead of by train. Letters in transit, which miss train connection, will be forwarded by airplane to make up the lost time.

It was stated that there was no guarantee under the new arrangement that a letter would go by airplane, but that persons might go to postoffice stations where airplane mail sacks were made up and request that their letters be put in these sacks.

**WICHITA TO N. Y. IN AIRPLANE.**

Wichita, July 19.—C. F. Kettering, president of the Dayton Laboratory company, and his pilot, Howard Rhinehart, left here at 8:30 o'clock this morning in a DeHaviland airplane for a non stop flight to New York City, where they expect to land before dark tonight.

## NEW STATE LAWS EFFECTIVE AUG. 7

A NEW LAW RELATIVE TO SELLING OF STOLEN MOTOR VEHICLES

## WILL REDUCE CAR THEFTS

**Every Public Garage or Repair Shop Must Keep Register of Every Vehicle—Penalty for Joy Riders.**

Jefferson City, July 19.—Attorney General McAllister submitted a legal opinion to the secretary of state yesterday, holding that except in specific cases all general laws passed by the regular session of the legislature will be in full force and effective August 7. A great number of conflicting opinions have been circulated here lately as to the date of the going into effect of these laws.

This ruling will settle the controversy as to when the law for the protection of owners of motor cars from thieves of all kinds will go into effect. One act in question was introduced by Senator Casey of Kansas City at the instance of the chief of police of Kansas City, and for the express purpose of curbing thieves and making it next to impossible for them to sell stolen vehicles in this state.

**Must Register all Vehicles.**

Every public garage or repair shop must keep a strict register of every vehicle placed in such garage or repair shop. This registry must contain the name and address of the owner, date, number of state and city license, if the latter is attached to the car, and the manufacturer's number. A careful note must be made if any identifying number or mark on such vehicle has been changed, such as the removal of a number or the mutilation thereof, and such information must at once be reported to the police or other proper officials. The alteration of an engine number or its mutilation is made prima facia evidence of larceny. The modification of this section applies to owners of vehicles who are well known to the owners of the garage or repair shop and whose vehicles have been in their custody. The plain object of the section is to secure a complete record of every motor car that is left at a garage or repair shop and to at once advise the proper law officers if there is any evidence of the larceny of a vehicle. The penalties on garage and repair shop keepers for a violation of the law ranges from a fine of $500 to one years' imprisonment for each offense.

**Penalty for Joy Riders.**

Joy riders, who appropriate other people's motor cars without the consent of the owners, will incur the penalties of a felony for so doing. They may be fined $500 and sentenced to jail for one year, or both, or sent to the penitentiary for five years. It is a felony, the same as affixed for joy riders of the class stated, to alter any number or seek to conceal any identifying marks on a motor car for the purpose of misrepresenting the identity of such motor vehicle. The same penalty applies to those who purchase or handle automobiles bearing the evidence provided in the law of having been stolen.

A bill by Representative Parker of St. Louis applies the same penalties to parties who purchase tires from which the identifying marks have been removed.

A third bill, by Senator Gray of Jasper County, provides a method of catching those who have stolen motor cars when they seek to sell the same or are apprehended with the vehicle in their possession. The original license issued by the secretary of state is evidence of the ownership of a motor vehicle. If the owner desires to sell or trade his car, he must go before some one authorized to take acknowledgements and make the transfer and the purchaser must hold a receipt showing that he purchased the vehicle from its owners. This receipt must be attested to by the person making the transfer record. Absence of such a receipt is made prima facia evidence of larceny.

**Hope to Minimize Thefts.**

The state motor car department is making arrangements for the strict enforcement of these laws. While it is not presumed that they will have the happy effect of driving all motor car thieves out of the state, it is believed that the number of such offenses will drop to the minimum and the means for catching the thieves will be greatly increased.

James O'Connor, who is in charge of the motor car department under the secretary of state, says that one reason for so many motor car thieves in Missouri is due to the fact that most of the surrounding states have laws very much like the new laws to go into effect in this state August 7, and the crooks have considered it much safer to operate in Missouri where the means of detection were somewhat limited and the chances for disposing of stolen vehicles less dangerous.

## NEW PACIFIC GUARDIANS SAIL FROM HAMPTON ROADS

**Six Powerful Dreadnaughts, Twenty-three Destroyers, and Three Supply Ships Form Cavalcade.**

Newport News, Va., July 19.—The proudest ships of the mighty fleet which will henceforth guard our Pacific shores, sailed out of Hampton Roads today, bound on a long journey to their home waters. Six of the most powerful super-dreadnoughts in the world, twenty-three destroyers, and three supply ships formed the naval cavalcade. Before the fleet passes through the Panama canal, probably fifty ships will be in the line.

## IDAHO FIRE FIGHTERS TO BATTLE FOREST FLAMES

**Fire Raging Along a Thirteen Mile Front in Yellow Pine District; Immense Area Destroyed.**

Boise, July 19.—Crews of men were loaded into the big army trucks today and started for the scene of the raging forest fires in the yellow pine district of west central Idaho.

The fire is burning on a thirteen mile front, ten miles wide. An area thirty miles long and fifteen miles wide has been burned over during the past two weeks.

In all, one hundred thousand acres are in flame and a repetition of the forest fires of 1910, which caused a twenty-two million dollar loss, is feared.

**SEN. KENYON BRINGS CHARGES**

**Iowa Senator Says Big Packing Industries Spread Propaganda Against Regulation Bill.**

Washington, July 19.—Flat charges that the great packing interests in the country have conducted a wide spread propaganda against his bill, which would regulate their industry, were made today by Senator Kenyon, of Iowa.

**R. I. RAIL STRIKE IS ON**

**Newport Only Town Not Affected by General Walk-out of Transportation Employees.**

Providence, R. I., July 19.—Practically the entire state of Rhode Island with the exception of Newport, is tied up by a strike of the employees of the traction lines operated by the Rhode Island companies. Approximately four hundred miles of track are useless, and half a million people are without transportation.

**PRESIDENT SLIGHTLY ILL.**

Washington, July 19.—President Wilson was bothered today with a slight attack of indigestion, it was said at the white house executive offices. It was only trifling, it was stated.

**Week End Guests.**

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Everest and Mrs. Will Ardery of St. Joseph will motor to Maryville this afternoon to spend the week end with Mrs. T. L. Robinson and Dr. and Mrs. Charles Bell.

Prof. and Mrs. Robert L. Denning of St. Joseph, who have been spending a few days with the former's father, David Manning, and his sister, Mrs. Eldon Lloyd, returned home this afternoon.

Miss Mary Woodridge left this morning for Hugo, Colo., to spend a few weeks with her father, Ed H. Woodridge.

Dr. and Mrs. K. C. Cummins and sons, Eugene and Francis, returned Thursday night from a two weeks' motor trip to Chugwater, Wyo., and other western points.

## SERIOUS STRIKES TIE UP CHICAGO

CITY FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT CRIPPLED BY WALK-OUT

## QUIT AT BIG PLANTS

**Rail Employees Threaten to Stall Transportation System; Situation Most Serious in Years.**

Chicago, July 19.—Two hundred and thirty-seven men who operate Chicago's teams of fire and gas engines went on a strike this morning, leaving the city's fire fighting equipment badly crippled. Fifteen thousand employees of the elevated, subway, and street railway lines voted overwhelmingly to strike unless they are granted an increase. About a hundred thousand men, employed in building and construction work are locked out by their employers, who charge the men with violation of the agreements. A thousand men are on a strike at the Argo plant and the plants of the International Harvester Company, Crane and Company and many smaller industries. These are the outstanding features today of the most serious labor situation Chicago has faced in years.

## SUSPICIOUS WHEAT FIRES ROUSE KANSAS FARMERS

**Community Near Beloit Scouring the Country for Perpetrators; New Harvest Hands and Strangers Warned.**

Beloit, Kan., July 19.—The community southeast of Beloit is thoroughly aroused over the belief that someone is starting fires in the wheat fields. The feeling is so high that new harvest hands and strangers are warned away. Vigilantes are scouring the country for evidence of the parties who are believed to have started two fires at midnight last night in the adjoining fields of Saltierk township, which destroyed a hundred and sixty acres of wheat.

## GERMANS REFUSE TO PAY FRANCE INDEMNITY

**Agree to Compensate Family of Sergeant Mancheim for French Soldier's Death in Berlin Streets.**

London, July 1.—The German government has decided to refuse to pay France one million francs indemnity for the murder of Sergeant Mancheim, of the French Military Mission, by a mob in the principal street of Berlin last Sunday morning, but agree to compensate Mancheim's family, said an exchange telegraph Copenhagen dispatch today.

**HONOR AMERICAN TROOPS IN BRITISH PEACE PARADE**

**Yankee Doughboys Occupy Leading Position in Most Brilliant Celebration in England.**

London, July 19.—With the American troops in a place of honor, fourteen nations joined with England today in the celebration of peace, with the most brilliant and stupendous parade this nation has ever seen. Fully two million, five hundred thousand people saw the seven mile long procession that passed through the city among the plaudits of the multitude.

Miss Helen Burris is here from St. Joseph to spend her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burris.

Rev. and Mrs. G. S. Cox are entertaining Mrs. Cox's parents, Dr. and Mrs. S. E. Schenck of Burlingame, Kan.

**WEATHER FOR TODAY**

Partly cloudy tonight and Sunday, probably unsettled; not much change in temperature.


Feature Tonight — **Empire Theatre** — 11 and 17 Cents

*HARRY CAREY,*

—IN—

*"RIDERS of Vengences"*

*Also Pathe Weekly*

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### Parnell Sentinel.

Parnell will soon have another bank in its town to be known as "The Parnell Bank." The promotors claim they are not putting in this institution for the purpose of injuring any other similar one, but merely as a business proposition. With the exception of two or three all are farmers. W. C. Nelson of the bank at Cole Camp, Mo., will be the cashier.

Are we to have a picnic this coming month or are we not? That is a question to be settled at once. No use dragging along until it is time to have one and then make a decision one way of the other. Two meetings have been held during the last week without any decision. Not enough of the business men come out to take an interest, yet if you will ask them they will tell you that they are in favor of a celebration or a three days picnic, but that does not seem to satisfy the few that do meet.

Mrs. Inez G. Cummins returned to her home at Maryville Sunday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hall.

### WHEAT RUSH THRU ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis, July 19.—The wheat rush through this city has started, according to Bart H. Lang of the United State Grain Corporation, and will reach its heighth in about ten days. No congestion of traffic on the railways is expected, according to Lang, as the grain can be shipped out as soon as it comes into St. Louis yards.


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**The Girl and The Gawk**

Prices 10c and 30c. A few reserved at 10c extra.

Be There Tonight Sure.


# NEWS FROM

## *NODAWAY COUNTY TOWNS*

### Hopkins Journal.

Early Sunday morning the news came of the passing of one of our oldest and best known citizens, James A. Jackson, at his country home at the east edge of Hopkins. He had been in failing health for about two years. Mr. Jackson was born in Brunswick Co., Va., Feb. 23, 1843, and departed this life about 4:30 a. m., July 13, 1919, aged 76 years, 4 months and 21 days. He was married when a young man to Miss Minerva Shockley, a daughter of Lonsford Shockley, who resided near Albany. To this union was born one child, Ollie V. Jackson, now deceased. The death of his first wife occurred at Hopkins March 1, 1904. He was married Nov. 1, 1904 to Dollie Chaney, daughter of D. L. and Susan Chaney. Funeral services were conducted at the Jackson home in east Hopkins on Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 by R. R. Watts, pastor of the Hopkins Baptist church. Interment at Hopkins cemetery.

The following relatively to Roy Godsey and his airplane is taken from the Topeka State Journal:

Definite arrangements were made today with Roy Godsey, business manager of Lieut. Thomas Webber, British Royal flyer now in Topeka, to take late afternoon editions of the Topeka State Journal to Eskridge, Baldwin and Emmett and negotiations are being made for deliveries at St. Marys, Wamego and a number of other surrounding towns.

The air delivery of the Journal will be made to Eskridge next Friday and to Baldwin on the following Tuesday. Other dates are to be made in the near future. Lieutenant Webber will have to start from the Washburn field just as soon as the presses run off the paper to be carried. These papers will be rushed to Washburn field in an auto and should be in the towns to which they are to be taken before the Topeka carriers complete their rounds of the city.

Godsey, Webber's manager, announced that the thrilling flight over the state house dome will be made Sunday evening at 7:30 if the air conditions are right. Godsey and Webber will ride in the machine on this trip. They will ascend 5,000 feet directly over the capitol dome, will dive down to within a few hundred feet of the dome itself and will then make a spiral dive around the dome.

John R. King and family have decided to spend a year in California and may make that state their permanent home. Mrs. King and little daughter leave in about three weeks and Mr. King will follow as soon as he can close up affairs on the farm. He and his son will give a fine hog sale in October and the senior Mr. King will leave soon after that for the West.

The Journal some weeks ago told of Charley McMaster, of Twin Falls, Idaho, coming to Missouri where he bought and shipped west two car loads fof pedigreed Shorthorn cattle. He put them in a sale the other day at Twin Falls and the average price brought was $770, showing that Missouri cattle are hard to beat, especially when they are put in the ring by a combination "Missouri and Iowa" man like Mack.

A deal was made Friday in which G. W. Brown of Nebraska, became the owner of the J. G. Maier 120 acres southwest of town, $185 being the price paid per acre. Mr. Brown is a brother-in-law to C. H. Duffield who resides on the Tim Butts farm. Joe expects to move to Colorado this fall.

Col. L. C. Foreman of Hopkins and Col. Clyde Cummins of Bedford, have formed a partnership in the auction business and will cry sales together from now on.

### Bolckow Herald.

One day recently Mr. Erickson departed for Cheyenne where he was met by Miss Bernice McGinnis of Maryville, Mo., and on June 28th they were united in marriage in the capital city. Mr. Erickson has lived in this vacinity for some time, having a farm along Dwyer route where he has resided except for nearly two years which he spent in the various training camps in the service of Uncle Sam. He is a young man of sterling qualities and good habits who numbers his friends by his acquaintances, who are now offering congratulations at this felicitous time. Mrs. Erickson was a resident of Maryville and was one of the successful school teachers in that vicinity. She is a pleasant young lady and very popular with her home companions and will be gladly welcomed to this vicinity. Mr. and Mrs. Erickson are at home to their many friends who wish for them all the joys that are possible in their new relationship. —Wheatland, Wyo., newspaper. Mr. Erickson is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Erickson, who live east of town.

### Bernard Bulletin.

L. C. Severs and J. E. Sell sold their interests as managers of the McCleave Hardware Co. to Earl McCleave Tuesday of this week. McCleave to take active management about the middle of August. Severs has purchased one-fourth interest in the Graig-Lincoln Hardware Co. at Burlington Junction. McCleave purchased one-fourth and Mattie Brown owns the rest of the store. Severs will go to Burlington Junction as manager of the store about the middle of August.

Harry Goff returned home from service in France last Wednesday and seems to be as hale and hearty as ever before. He says he will probably take his old job back in Joplin within a few days.

### Burlington Junction Post.

Dale Carter, who for eleven years was assistant cashier of the First National bank of this place, and later went to Omaha to take a position in the credit department of Armour & Co. offices, has bought a half interest in the mercantile business conducted by George McKnight in Longmont, Colo. Dale will continue in his present position for two weeks and will then move to Longmont to make his home.

The Post is glad to announce this week that Jonathan Graves, who was seriously injured by a fall last Thursday, is slightly improved. Although very sore and still confined to his bed, he is resting better and everything is now favorable for his recovery.

Miss Lucile Carter will leave Saturday for Chicago, where she will take some special work in the university of Chicago. She will stop en route at Indianola and Des Moines, Iowa, where she will be the guest of friends for several days. After completing her work in the university she will go to Redfield, S. Dak., where she will teach in the high school again this year.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Shackleford left Tuesday morning for an extended trip in the west. They were accompanied by Mr. Shackleford's sister, Mrs. Frank Crist of Shenandoah, Iowa. They will visit a sister, Mrs. Tom Wallace, at Bakersfield, Calif., and expect to be gone six weeks or longer.

J. D. Smith, who has been an assistant at the depot for some time, went to Shenandoah last night to have charge of the freight depot of the Wabash. A Maryville man will take his place at this depot.

Mrs. Joseph J. Carter of Holywood, Cal., has been visiting at the home of Dr. Joseph's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Carter. She came here from Salisbury, where she visited relatives several days.

### Elmo Register.

W. C. Aldrich got one of his hands badly hurt while handling some lumber at the yard, a scantling falling on the hand with sufficient force to break it.

The first wagon load of wheat for this locality, was marketed Thursday of last week by A. G. Castillo. It tested 58 pounds to the bushel.

John A. Bush has sold his store to Erna A. Watson, who took possession Friday.

Beginning on next Sunday evening the churches of Elmo will hold union services on Sunday evenings. The first services will be held at the Christion church and Bro. Smallwood of the M. E. Church, South, will preach. These services will continue during July and August.

The Elmo Town Board met in regular session on last Friday night. An ordinance was passed granting permission to the Standard Oil Co., to erect and maintain a supply station on the railroad right of way north of the grain elevator and cribs. Z. T. Vansickle was appointed collector of the town for the present year.

Harlan Peery is moving this week across the street to the building he bought, where the J. A. Bush store was so long.

### Conception Courier.

Mrs. J. F. Pfeifer was in Maryville Saturday, taking the civil service examination for Post Mistress to fill vacancy caused by the expiration of the term of the present incumbent, Henry J. Berg. Mrs. Pfeifer was the only applicant for the position and her many friends will be pleased to learn of her successfully passing the examination and receiving the appointment.

The many friends of Judge Matt Farnan will regret to learn that there has been but little improvement in his condition.

The work on the addition to the school house is progressing nicely and it is expected that it will be completed by the middle of August.

### Clearmont News.

W. P. Lemon, wife and son left Saturday morning for a trip to the mountains, expecting to visit Denver, Colorado Springs, Loveland, Cheyenne and other points of interest. They will probably be gone until the first of September. J. E. Hornbuckle, wife and daughter went to St. Joseph Friday and will join Mr. Lemon there and go with him, but they will be gone only about a month.

There were 5 cars of stock shipped to the St. Joseph market Tuesday, Jim Milbank shipping 3 of hogs and one of cattle and Jake Burch one of hogs

### Skidmore News.

The editor of this paper, W. J. Skidmore and his son, Junior, expect to leave next Tuesday in their car for a trip to Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada, where they will meet those of the National Editorial Association who will take the big trip, that has been planned, through the Pacific Northwest. This is what is termed the Victory Tour and it is planned that the start from Winnipeg will be made the latter part of July for points of interest through the picturesque Rocky Mountain region of Western Canada.

Mrs. D. F. Harrison motored to Maryville Wednesday, where she met Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Edwards and children, Virginia, Elizabeth and Tommie, of Hobbing, Minnesota, who were returning from a visit with Mr. Edward's parents at Gaylax, Virginia.

Dr. F. J. Brown of Maryville, received a message the latter part of last week calling him to Fresno, California, on account of the serious illness of his mother. He left via Maryville, Friday evening for her bedside. Mrs. Brown and the baby are staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Walker, during her husband's absence.

Sterling Edwin, the little two-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Turpin was quite seriously injured last Monday evening, by having a couple of deep gashes cut in his right leg by the sickle of a mower driven by his father. A physician was called and found it necessary to take several stitches to close the wounds. The little fellow was brought to town Tuesday evening and he and his mother are staying with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Manchester in order to be near the physician that the wounds may be properly cared for.

### Guilford Times.

Last Thursday as per call, a few of the guarantors met at the Times office and effected an organization of the Local Committee as follows: E. T. Reisner, chairman; M. C. Noland, vice chairman; Arthur Thompson, secy.; W. B. Torrance, treasurer and S. E. Jobe, member.

On Friday morning this committee met and appointed a chairman of various committees as follows: Grounds, Jobe; Concessions, piano, light, etc., Noland; Advertising, Torrance, Entertainment, Reisner; Sale of tickets and war tax, Arthur Thompson.

Everybody remember the date, August 1, 2, 3.

Warren Wilson was employed by the board of the Skidmore school to teach it the coming school year, at $75 per month.

### Got a Job.

He wrote seventeen letters of application, had twelve friends write testimonials, referred various firms to seven others, called twenty-one times himself, had friends of the family phone in fourteen cases—and then the local paper said he had "accepted a position."—Exchange.

### B. Quick Too Slow.

Kansas City.—B. Quick, of the Kansas side, failed to live up to the name in Missouri. In fact, B. Quick was so slow in appearing in North Municipal court here to answer to a charge of violating the traffic ordinance that his $5 bond was declared forfeited.


**Our July Clearance Sale Will Continue All Next Week**

*Be sure to take advantage of the Many Bargains being Offered*

*Haines*

The Store That is Anxious to Please You.



# The Pitiless Light of Publicity

The buyer of advertising speace is just as much entitled to know what he gets for his money as is the purchaser of any other commodity. Dry goods are sold by the yard, eggs and small fruits by the dozen, meats, butter, etc., by the pound, liquids by the quart and practically all other articles by some unit of measurement. But advertising space—alas—is too often sold on unsubstantial claims and wild guesses and bought with blindfolded eyes.

This should not be. Space buyers should know what they are getting for their money. The means of knowing the truth are at hand. The standards of value are quantity and character of circulation. The yardstick with which to measure them is found in the reports of the Audit Bureau of Circulations.

**Let their impartial investigators turn on the pitiless light of publicity.**

The publisher who is offering genuine circulation value for the rates he asks and who has nothing to conceal welcomes the investigations of the A. B. C. for they prove the correctness of his statements in an authoritive manner. On the other hand the publisher who does not belong to the A. B. C. encourages the belief that what he is selling is not worth the price he asks and that investigation will not substantiate his claims. It is to the buyer's interest to know the facts.

The man who suffers the most ultimately is the one who buys on claims not supported by facts. He pays a high price for what he gets and does not get that for which he pays. The man who has value to offer does not try to conceal the facts.

**Before buying space—turn on the pitiless light of publicity.**

The Democrat-Forum always has been an advocate of proved circulations. It preached the doctrine when it was mighty unpopular with most publishers. It practiced what it preached by throwing open its books to any interested person and by giving advertisers definite facts. It believes in the A. B. C. and in the use of its reports for space buying.

**Space buyers should demand A. B. C. reports.**

# Social, Clubs Churches

**Gex Dinner Guests.**

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Gex, living near Graham, entertained with a dinner yesterday noon. Their guests were Mrs. Anderson Craig and her guest, Mrs. Stella Horner of Wichita, Kan., and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burris of Maryville.

**Entertains at High Five.**

Mrs. J. M. Conley entertained with a high five party last night at her home on North Main street. Miss Lenore Schumacher received the favor. At the conclusion of the games, a two-course luncheon was served. The guests were Mrs. Richard Kuchs, Mrs. Eldon Irvin, Mrs. C. W. Yehle, Mrs. John Shonley, Mrs. Rodney Hamblin, Mrs. F. W. White, Misses Lenore and Rose Schumacher, Misses Della and Kitty Grems, Miss Katherine and Teresa Shonley and Hilda Lahr.

**Sunday at Big Lake.**

Eight couples will motor to Big Lake in the morning to spend the day. A picnic dinner will be served at noon and rowing and swimming will be enjoyed. The party will include Misses Hazel Wallace, Kahla Bennick, Grace Miller, Veturia Faubion, Elvira Ward, Carrie Coler, Ruby Ewing, and Naomi Walker of Lenox, Ia., and Harold and Euel Ramsey, Blaine Archer, Hailey Ford, Henry Miller, Lowell Livengood, Ralph Palmer and Lawrence Zelinn.

**Mowery W. W. W. Club.**

The Mowery W. W. W. Club was entertained at the home of Mrs. James Clayton. Methods of preparing pickles were discussed, and luncheon was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Harve Cline, Mrs. Walter Runnels, Mrs. Parl Runnels, Mrs. Dennis McGinness, Mrs. Albert Simmons, Mrs. Marion Rickard, Mrs. Chas. Clayton, Misses Anna Loch and Nellie Root, Mrs. Irvin Loch and Mrs. Stewart Robinson. Mrs. Albert Hinton will be the next hostess, with Mrs. Rickard as leader.

**Mrs. Harvey Entertains.**

Mrs. Edmond Harvey entertained the Bloomdale Willing Workers Club Thursday. The time was spent socially and dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Bart Shannon. The club adjourned to meet July 31 with Mrs. Will Gorton. The following members were present: Mrs. Walter Runnels, Mrs. Parl Runnels, Mrs. Frank Maxon, Mrs. Robert Aley, Mrs. Will Lett, Mrs. Will Boatwright, Mrs. Bart Shannon and the hostess, and Margaret Shannon, Ruth Maxon, Vivian and Audrey Boatwright Mina and Lois Harvey, and Lerita Lett, and others present were Lena and Opal Kunkle, Lillian and Eldena Runnels, Joseph Paul Aley and Lauren Runnels.

**Berean Class Picnic.**

The members of the Berean Class of the Christian Church and their families enjoyed a picnic supper Thursday evening at the College park. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Whitehead, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Henry and son, Leroy, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Frank and daughter, Eva Margaret, Prof. and Mrs. J. M. McDonald, Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Lininger, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mercer, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Frost, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Green and sons, Eldon and Harold, Mrs. Nellie Manley and children, Mrs. Ed Hamlin and daughter, Isabel, Mrs. John Borrusch and daughter, Mabel Grace, Mrs. A. D. Arnett and son, Robert, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cauffield, Verna Crosby, Mrs. T. R. Moore, Sue Young and Alvena Appleby.

**For Mr. and Mrs. Flynt.**

A party of relatives and neighbors will gather at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Roseberry tomorrow for a picnic dinner, the affair being complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Flynt of St. Louis, who will arrive tomorrow morning. They are enroute to Colorado for a vacation trip and will only spend a few days here. The Flynts formerly resided in Maryville, Mr. Flynt having been city engineer. The guest list includes Mr. and Mrs. James D. Frank and son, J. D. Jr., of Livingston, Texas, who will come tonight to visit relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kurtz and sons, Frederick and John, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Conrad, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Hagins and son, Wesley, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bellows and daughter, Emma Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Roseberry and daughters, Esther and Laura Phoebe, and the honor guests.

**Mothers Club Picnic.**

The Mothers Club of the South Methodist Church entertained with a picnic supper last evening on the lawn of the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Williams on East 3rd street, at which the husbands and children of the members were guests. Following the supper, the time was spent socially and swings and other amusements were provided fr the children. Those present were Mrs. Alva Maul and children, Mrs. Will Burr and daughter, Evelyn, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Williams and daughter and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Orchard, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Leet and children, Mrs. R. C. Holliday and son, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Nicholas and children, Mrs. Wayne Broyles, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Padgett and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dale, Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Williams and baby daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Seal, Mrs. Bess Thorp and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cornell and son, Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Tolloch and daughter, Virginia, Mrs. Chas. Soiler and daughter, Misses Frances and Florence Holliday and H. G. Leet.

**For Oklahoma Guest.**

Mrs. Mina Gett gave a picnic supper last evening at the College park for her guest, Miss Bess Wallace of Okmulgee, Okla., who leaves for her home today. Additional guests were Mrs. Loren Schnabel, Mrs. A. D. Arnett, Miss Olo Smith, Miss Ina Hallowell, Ione Gett and Sterling Gett.

**Home From Wedding Trip.**

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lewis Hartness, whose marriage was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mutz, July 13, have returned from their wedding trip. They will be at home after August 1 at 303 West 11th street.

**Lawn Party for Returned Soldiers.**

Mrs. G. Oto Riley, Miss Fannie Albright, Elta Taylor and Ruby and Gladys Wright gave a lawn party Wednesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Teason, southeast of Skidmore, in honor of a number of returned soldiers. Games on the lawn and Victrola music were enjoyed and refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. The guests were Misses Mildred and Myrtle Brown, Bessie Mitchell, Hildred and Evelyn Goslee, Letha Strickler, Grace Smith, Freda and Vela Peoples, Marie Logan, Viola Barber, Opal Hart, Lois McDaniels, Mae Coston, Amy Barrett, Nita Strickler, Delma Albright, Mabel Taylor and Harry Bunny, Ralph and Burman Wright, Austin Roberts, Charley McDaniels, Frank Coston, Adrain Taylor, Paul and Pierre Karr, Fred and Joe O'Riley, Dean Goslee, Earl Peoples, Clyde Collins, Fred Conrad, Frank Lehman, Frank Hitchcock, Frank Barber, Clarence Smith, Jack Masters, Oto Riley, Albert Sewell, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Linville, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lehman, Mr. and Mrs. Verne Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Barrett, Mr. and Mrs. Teson and Master Verne LeRoy Riley.

**PRISON FARMS AN ASSET.**

Jefferson City, July 19.—Agricultural operations of the State Prison Board this season will go a long way towards pulling that institution out of its financial hole.

Yesterday prison authorities shipped the third car load of wheat raised on the prison farms. In all there will be 7,000 bushels to market and the grain is bringing from $2.18 to $2.22 per bushel. It is a money-making operation, the board finds, to sell the wheat and buy the flour to feed the prison population.

In addition to the wheat crop the prison farms are growing many thousands of bushels of corn and vegetables of all kinds sufficient to keep the institution's table supplied.

A carload of hogs shipped from the prison pens to the St. Louis market this week sold for $22.35 per hundred pounds netting a total of $3,485 for the car load.

Henry Andras, the member of the Prison Board, who has direct charge of the agricultural operations estimates that no department of the penitentiary's industries will show a greater profit for the investment of money and the labor involved than the farms owned and leased by the state for the use of convicts.

Mrs. Eugene Watson of Cadiz, Ohio, is visiting at the home of her brother-in-law, Albert Watson, and family, west of Maryville. She is enroute home from a visit with her daughter in Ordway, Colo.

# Go to Church Tomorrow

The announcements of various Churches printed herewith are invitations to you to attend their services.

**South Methodist.**

At the Sunday School hour, two readings, "Husbands for Sale," and "The Cat Bit You," will be given by the little Misses Katherine and Ellen Elizabeth Courtney. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Preaching by the pastor. Epworth League at 7. Evening services at 8. Sermon by the pastor. Special music at both services.

**Baptist.**

Sunday school meets at 9:30 a. m. There is a class for every age. The Men's Organized Bible class will meet under the shade of the trees on the large lawn east of the church. A cordial welcome is extended to all men who want a delightfully cool place to study the Bible Sunday morning.

The pastor will preach Sunday morning at 11 on "Baptist Fundamentals," and at the evening service at 8:30 on "Heart Diseases." Special music will be furnished at both services by Ed Goodspeed and Frank Tebow. A special program will be rendered at 7:30 by the B. Y. P. U. with Miss Goldie Alcock as leader.

**Presbyterian.**

First Presbyterian, Main and Jenkins. Dr. S. A. Coile, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 o'clock. H. P. Swinehart superintendent. Morning church worship at 11 o'clock. Subject of sermon, "The Sure Foundation." Anthem, "Praise Ye," (Verdi). Evening worship at 8:30 o'clock. Sermon subject, "The Feat of Victory?" Anthem, "Savior, When Night Involves the Skies" (Shelley).

**Methodist.**

First Methodist, Main and First streets Dr. Gilbert S. Cox, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock. Preaching at 10:45 o'clock by the pastor. Sermon subject, "The Will and the Way." Anthem, "I will Sing unto the Lord" (Buck). Epworth League at 7. Evening service at 8. Subject of sermon, "Clemenceau, the Patriot." Anthem, "Only Fear the Lord," (Pinham).

**First Church of Christ, Scientist.**

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 206 South Main street.—Sunday school at 9:30. Morning worship at 11 o'clock, subject of lesson sermon, "Life." Reading room in church building open each Wednesday and Saturday afternoon to the public. Mid-week prayer service Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Everyone welcome to all services and to the use of the reading room.

**CHRISTIAN CHURCH**

Services at the usual hour tomorrow. Decision Day in the Sunday School. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. R. E. Snodgrass; subject, "A Threefold Ministry." Anthem, "Bless the Lord, O My Soul" (Meredith). The evening service will be from 8 to 9 o'clock. Sermon subject, "Courage, Its Necessity, Its Optimism, Its Reward." Solo, "The Perfect Prayer," (Stenson), Miss Ruth Reuillard. Anthem, "Lord of All Things," (Pike).

**Catholic.**

St. Patrick's, Buchanan and First Rev. Father Henry F. Niemann, pastor. Low mass at 8 o'clock a. m. High mass at 10 o'clock.

St. Mary's, South Davis street, Rev. Father Odillo Scheiber, pastor. Low mass at 8 o'clock a. m. High mass with hymns at 10 o'clock.

**BISCUITS WON HUSBAND AT 80**

**License for Aged Bride and Groom Issued in St. Joseph.**

St. Joseph, July 19.—When P. H. Sinclair of Forest City, Mo., and Mrs. Melinda C. Esterbrook of Iowa Point, Kas., both eighty years old, applied at the county recorder's office here for a marriage license yesterday, Sinclair said he was marrying Mrs. Esterbrook because she could make good biscuits. The bride-elect added that biscuit making was among her greatest accomplishments.

**Jess Too Good Looking To Lose, Says Fair Fan**

Columbus, Ohio.—She was a fair fan and was interested in the outcome of the big fight. She stood listening to a big-voiced announcement on one of the Columbus street corners.

"Dempsey wins," shouted the announcer.

"It just can't be so," said the fair one as she turned to another fair one who didn't seem to care much about the fight and who seemed to be listening to what the announcer said just because she was awaiting her "fanette" friend.

"Why can't it be true?" asked the disinterested one.

"Oh, Jess Willard was so good looking, it just can't be true," she said, as she wiped a stray tear from a pretty row of eyelashes.

Then some "mere man" made it all the more hard to bear by reminding the fair admirer of Jess that "good looks don't cut no ice in prize fightin'!"

**Floating Saloon Plan a Boon to "Rum Hounds'"**

Los Angeles, Cal.—"Rum hounds" in and about this city are taking hope. A "floating bar"—a ship that will take on its cargo in west Mexican ports, steam northward and lie at anchor three miles off the California shore for the benefit of the thirsty—is the latest project.

A former manager of a social club and a former owner of a cafe are said to be behind this novel enterprise. By loading the bar at a Mexican port, the originators of the plan believe they will be violating no laws.

Miss Edna King who was operated on for appendicitis Tuesday morning at St. Francis hospital, is doing nicely.

**Carries Parasol While Playing Tennis.**

Kansas City.—A certain South Side young man has found a novel way of combating the hot rays of Old Sol while playing tennis. He was seen on a local court one very hot morning, the themometer above 90, batting the ball with a racquet held in one hand while the other hand was firmly attached to a light blue parasol.

**Captain Perrin Home Soon.**

Mrs. A. R. Perrin, Dean of Women of the State Teachers College, received a telegram from her son, Captain Charles Perrin, stating that he had landed in New York City Friday and expects to be home within a week. Captain Perrin who commanded the 306th Supply Company received his training at Camp Grant. He served overseas a year and one-half.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

**AIR "BATTLESHIPS" NEXT ON THE PROGRAM**

St. Louis, July 19.—Airships 1,100 feet in length, virtually air battleships capable of carrying an entire battalion of troops, are in prospect in the near future, according to Col. C. D. F. Chandler, head of the balloon and airship division of the United States Army, who is in this city looking for a site for an air station.

Col. Chandler was in command of the balloon service in France during the war. He visited Scott Field and Jefferson Barrack yesterday to look over proposed aviation sites.

Mrs. Maggie Basford, Mrs. Lilie Steiger, Mrs. Byron Thompson and baby and Charles Basford, all of Ravenwood, spent yesterday here with Mrs. Sarah Lyle and Mrs. Solon Clark.

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"Before leaving for the matinee, Mrs. Goodwife placed in the large oven of her Westinghouse automatic range a six-pound roast, with potatoes, to bake, and in the small oven soup, asparagus and beets.
"She arrived home with her husband at 6—just in time for dinner, and the meal was ready to serve. The house had no cooking odors and each dish had a superior flavor from having been cooked electrically. She had only to cut the bread and bring the salad and dessert from the refrigerator and sit down to dine—coffee from the electric percolator at the table.
"At 4:20 the electric current had been turned on by the range clock, just as she set it, and the ovens began to heat. At about 4:35 the lower oven had reached the boiling heat for which she set the thermostat, and the current was AUTOMATICALLY TURNED OFF. At about 4:40 the upper oven had reached the heat for roasting, for which she had set this thermostat, and the current was automatically turned off.
"From the time each current was turned off until the doors were opened, cooking proceeded as in a fireless cooker, without further cost for current.
"The same plan can be used in cooking breakfast, made ready the night before. A savory hot cereal, delicious rolls or muffins, aromatic coffee, and boiling water to poach eggs"—all ready at whatever morning hour you set the range clock for.
Westinghouse electric ranges are made in several styles and sizes, with and without the automatic features.
If you are not already cooking electrically come in today and treat your family to a real luxury, which is also a true economy.
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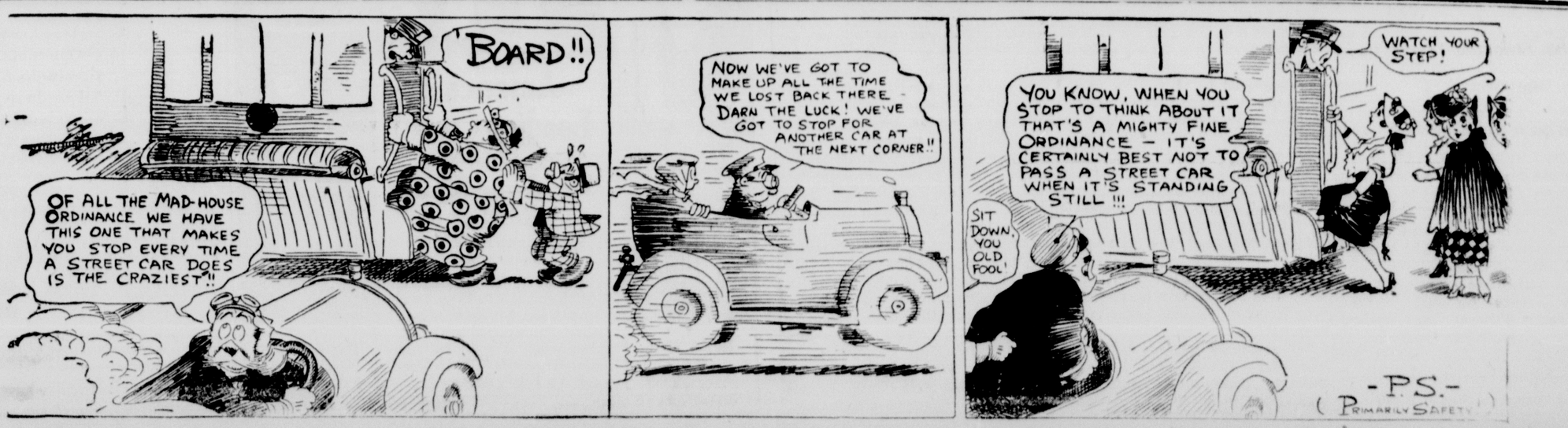
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FOR SALE—China cabinet, two dressers, two beds, refrigerator, three burner oil-stove, stair carpet, sectional book cases, lawn mower, garden hose, and minor articles of furniture. Dr. S. E. Davis, 316 West First street. Hanamo 4578. 17-19.

FOR SALE—1 1917 Studebaker touring; 1 5-passenger Ford; 1 5-passenger Oldsmobile; one 1917 Chandler touring. All above excellent values. List your car with us for ready sale. Nodaway Motor Company. Albert Kucks, Hanamo 21 or 671; C. C. Heilmers, Mutual 22.

PLAYER PIANO—Your upright piano can be made into a Player Piano at low cost. We also sell a complete Player Piano at Factory cost. Satisfaction guaranteed. Write for particulars. Hartford Player Action Co., P. O. Box 679, St. Joseph, Mo. 16-19*

FOR SALE—A gasoline range. Used one season. Mrs. E. L. Townsend, 219 W. Second. 17-19

FOR SALE—Hay press, good shape. Inquire 1502 East Edwards. 18-21*

FOR SALE—Corn at the L. D. Lynch farm. Farmers phone 47722. 18-21

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—6 room house at 1102 East Jenkins St. Inquire Louis Gram Hanamo 5542. A21tf.

FOR RENT—Dwelling house 3 blocks east of courthouse. Southeast corner S. Saunders & 4th street. 6 rooms, city water and bath. Inquire Sisson Loan & Title Co. Hanamo 55 J8tf.

FOR RENT—Rooms, city, well and cistern water. Inquire G. L. Reynolds, 627 West 2nd. 18-21*

FOR RENT—Dwelling house 3 blocks east of courthouse. Southeast corner of Saunders & 4th streets. 6 rooms, city water and bath. Inquire Sisson Loan and Title Co. Hanamo 55. J8tf.

FOR RENT—6 room house, city water and electric lights. Inquire Dr. J. C. Allender. 19-22

## MISCELLANEOUS

RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS Hundreds wanted. $1,100-$1,500. Age, 18-35. Experience unnecessary. Examinations everywhere August 23. For free particulars, write John Leonard (former Government Examiner) 750 Equitable Bldg. Washington. 17-19*

LOST—A bunch of keys. Return to D. R. Baker, Recorder's office. 17-19.

JUNK. JUNK—Wanted all kinds of junk and junk cars. Call or ship to Maryville Auto Wrecking Co. Hanamo 232. Farmers 75. 9-22.

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# *Rep. Kitchen Shows Republican Retrenchment Claims Misstatements*

Washington, D. C.—Republicans in Congress are still feeling the sting of Congressman Claude Kitchin's exposure of their willful mistatements about "economies" effected in appropriations. Using the published boasts of Representative Frank W. Mondell of Wyoming, Republican floor leader, and Representative Simeon D. Fess of Ohio, chairman of the Republican Congressional Committee, as his texts, Mr. Kitchin corrected what he termed "the misinformation and false impressions which have been propagandaed to the country."

Various Republican House leaders attempted to reply, but their excuses and explanations failed to stand before Mr. Kitchin's logic.

"He (Mr. Mondell) attempts to show, and in substance asserts that the Republicans within the first 30 days of this session were able to pass six general supply bills, the deficiency bills and the railroad deficiency bill which the Democrats at the last session of Congress, after three months effort, failed to pass," said Mr. Kitchin.

"He states and attempts to show that the Republicans of the House by their economy and retrenchment program in the passage of these appropriation bills had saved to the people of the United States approximately $1,500,000,000; that is, they saved, he claims, to the people and the Government in the army bill at this session $400,000,000, in the naval bill $225,000,000, in the sundry civil appropriation bill $385,000,000 and in the railroad deficiency bill $450,000,000, totaling in round numbers $1,500,000,000.

"His statement had its intended effect. The press of the country, especially the Republican press, teemed with such headlines at 'Republicans of the House Save the Nation $1,500,000,000, Says Mr. Mondell, Republican Leader;' 'Republicans in the House in 30 Days Have Lopped Off $1,500,000,000 of Democratic Extravagance,' and so forth.

"Let us analyze this remarkable statement. Was there ever a more unfair and more unjust inference than that? Why did he not go further, unless he was imposed upon, and tell the whole truth by informing the public that the Democratic House in the last session passed every single one of these appropriation bills, and that the Democratic majority in the Senate was ready and anxious and willing to put upon the statute books every single one of these supply bills, but was prevented from doing so by a plotted and deliberate filibuster of a few Republicans in the Senate in the last few days of the session?

"The papers all over this country, including many Republican papers, condemned that filibuster and condemned the Republicans in the Senate for defeating the supply bills.

**Democrats Helped Bills.**

"The gentleman from Wyoming (Mr. Mondell) says that within 30 days the Republicans in this House passed these supply bills. If the Democrats in this House at this session had resorted to the indecent tactics of the filibuster that the Republicans in the Senate did in the last session, you could not have passed them in three or six months; but the Democrats did the patriotic thing. They co-operated to a man with you Republicans in the quick passage within 30 days of these bills.

"Let us analyze these items, the first being the $400,000,000—the army bill item. I state here and now that this did not effect the saving of a single penny to the people of the United States. What are the facts? When the Democratic committee of the last House framed and the Democratic House passed the Army appropriation bill, to which he refers, the committee, Republicans and Democrats, every one of them, and the War Department estimated that, with the big army then in France and here, amounting to about a million and half men in France and half a million or more men here, before they could possibly be returned to this country, before they could possibly be demobilized, the average army for the next fiscal year would amount to 500,000 men. They did not authorize 500,000 men. They did not authorize 200,000 or 300,000 men.

"They—that is, the bill the committee reported and the House passed—authorized no number, but there was an army of over 2,000,000 men that had to be reduced by demobilizing. A million and a half had to be brought from France. Now the proposition before the committee and the House and the War Department was this: We have this immense army. How long will it take us to demobilize them, and how much will that make this big army we started with average for the fiscal year for which we were bound to appropriate?

"All concluded that by as rapid a demobilization as then seemed possible the army would average during the year 500,000 men. Every Republican on the committee and in the House voted for that. So did every Democrat. But four months have elapsed since the adjournment of Congress.

"The committee at this session found that, owing to the wise, diligent, and efficient administration by the War Department and the Navy Department in bringing back the boys from Europe and demobilizing the army so much more rapidly than was anticipated at the last session, the average army, instead of 500,000 for the next fiscal year, would be only 400,000, and the House believed that it would be only 300,000 and so they reduced the amount of the appropriation to provide for these three of four hundred thousand men instead of the 500,000 men, as in the last session it appeared to the committee and House was necessary. That made the difference in the appropriation figures. Not a cent would have been saved, not a cent was saved, by that difference.

"The next item of the so-called savings in the political statement of the gentleman from Wyoming (Mr. Mondell) is $225,000,000 in the naval bill. This is absolutely untrue, and there is not a Republican on the Naval Affairs Committee that will approve that statement, because every single, solitary one of them knows that it is not true.

"The gentleman from Wyoming has been imposed upon. There is no doubt about it. The report of the gentleman from Pennsylvania (Mr. Butler), the able and distinguished chairman of the Naval Affairs Committee, shows that there was only a reduction in the amount of appropriation of $119,000,000—not $225,000,000. But what matters a little difference of $106,000,000 when political advantage is sought to be reaped. Mr. Butler does not attribute that reduction to Republican economy in this House. I will tell you what Mr. Butler in his honest and candid report shows. He shows that these reductions were caused by 'conditions, plans, or events occurring subsequent to the adjournment of Congress.'

"What is the change in the events and conditions, mentioned by Mr. Butler in his report? It was estimated last session by the committee and the House that the average of the enlisted men in the navy for the year would be 225,000, and an appropriation to take care of them was made, but on account of the changed conditions, the Democratic administration's efficiency in bringing the men in the army back from France and demobilizing them faster than was anticipated so that a large number of the navy personnel could be dispensed with, at this session they were enabled to reasonably estimate an average naval personnel of 193,000 men and to provide for that number instead of the 225,000 men estimated at the last session. And yet, with the facts of the record, the gentleman from Wyoming issues this propaganda throughout the length and bredth of the country that the Republican House saves $225,000,000! His own committee will not sustain such a statement.

"Mr. Mondell says, further, that the Republicans of the House have saved $450,000,000 to the people in the railroad deficiency bill, and Dr. Fess, chairman of the Republican congressional committee made that identical statement on June 14 of this year in a speech on this floor. There was no such reduction in the railroad deficiency bill; there was no reduction, absolutely none.

"They saved $450,000,000 in their rail road deficiency bill over our bill, they declare. I have here in one hand the Democratic bill as it passed the House last session and failed in the Senate, and in the other I have the Republican bill as it passed the House. With the exception in the number of the Congress and the name of the introducer of the bill and the number of the bill, if these two bills are not exactly alike in every word, in every letter, in every sentence and in every figure, dollar for dollar, I will resign as a member of this House.

"A billion and a half they say they saved! Of course, this little mistake of $450,000,000 in this one item is of small consequence in the statements of the gentleman from Ohio, Dr. Fess, the Republican National Congressional Chairman, and Mr. Mondell, the Republican leader; but what in thunder did they care about a little difference of $450,000,000 in one item when they wanted to elect Republicans to office on it?

"Mr. Mondell further says in this wonderful statement that in the sundry civil bill they saved $385,000,000. They saved it, according to the report of Mr. Good, chairman of the appropriations committee, in cutting down the appropriation from the treasury for the shipping board, or Fleet Corporation, by $384,903,000. Now let us get at the real truth about these things. It does not make any difference in actual savings to the Goverment whether you appropriate or take from a Government fund which is in the shipping board's or Fleet Corporation's hands or from a Government fund in the treasury. Both funds belong to the United States Government and to the people—the taxpayers. Now is there any saving, any reduction? Not a bit. There is an expenditure provided from another fund of the Government of $55,000,000 more than we appropriated from the treasury, if Mr. Good's statement in his speech is correct.

"I wish to refer to one other so-called 'savings,' in the speech Dr. Fees made on the floor.

"Instead of the deficiency bills which they passed this session being $5,000,000 less than the deficiency bill passed at the last session and failed in the Senate, they are $40,000,000 more than that deficiency bill of last session, to which he refers. He referred to and compared the Democratic deficiency bill of $26,000,000, for which he and all other Republicans in the House at that time voted, with the one deficiency bill of $21,000,000 which passed at this session; but he overlooked and failed to state in the Record that they passed another deficiency bill at this session of $45,000,000, the two deficiency bills at this session making $10,000,000 more of deficiencies than the deficiency bill of last session."

**Missouri Bonds For Sale.**

Sealed bids will be received until 1:30 p. m. July 25, 1919, for the sale of $40,000.00 Grant Township Road Bonds, $50,000.00 Independence Township Road Bonds and until 3 o'clock p. m. on same day for sale of $50,000.00 City of Maryville Waterworks bonds, all in Nodaway County, Missouri. For information or blank form for bonds address either Fred W. Smith County Clerk or W. O. Garrett Mayor, Maryville, Missouri.

**MUNICIPAL BOND SALE.**

Sealed bids will be received for the sale of an issue of $50,000.00 waterworks bonds of the City of Maryville, Missouri, by the Mayor of said City at the city hall until 3 o'clock P. M. on Friday, July 25th, 1919. Information and blank form for bids may be obtained from the undersigned Mayor. All bids must specify the rate of interest the bidder desires the bonds to bear with the greatest amount of money he will pay for the issue of bonds ata such rate. Successful bidder to furnish bonds. Time of delivery September 1st at Maryville, Missouri. Bonds will not be sold for less than par, purchaser to pay accrued interest to date of delivery. Address all communications to W. O. Garrett Mayor, Maryville, Missouri.

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**MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH**

Chicago, July 19.—Cattle, 12,000; Hogs, 30,000, top, $22.40, 40c to 75¢ lower; Sheep 24,000.

St. Joseph, July 19.—Cattle 3,500, steady to 10c lower; Hogs, 5,500, top $21.90; 25c to 40c lower; Sheep 3,500, steady.

Kansas City, July 19.—Cattle receipts, 00; no market. Hog receipts, 700; prices top, $21.80.

Kansas City, July 19.—September corn, $1.90 3-4@7-8; December, $1.60 3-4.

**PRODUCE MARKET.**

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| Fresh eggs, per dozen | 34c |
| Spring Chickens, per pound | 30c |
| Butter fat, per pound | 50c |
| Hides | 25c |
| Hens | 24c |
| Ducks, per lb | 15c |
| Geese, per pound | 12c |
| Old roosters, per pound | 12c |

# GENERAL ASSEMBLY LAWS EFFECTIVE AUGUST 7

**Opinion Given by Attorney General McAllister:: Does Not Apply to Revision Acts.**

Jefferson City, July 19.—Attorney General McAllister in an opinion prepared by special assistant Attorney-General Thomas J. Cope, at request of secretary of state Sullivan, holds that the new laws enacted by the regular session of the 50th General Assembly become effective ninety days after the date of sine die adjournment.

The regular session terminated officially May 8th, consequently ninety days after that date, or August 7th all news acts of the regular session go into effect.

This does not apply to revision acts, it is understood. The opinion was prepared on a request from secretary of state John L. Sullivan as to when House Bills Numbers 693 and 694 amending the corporation laws would go into force. There was no emergency clause on the first named bill and the emergency clause on the second failed to pass.

In the opinion the following paragraph is used:

"It is therefore the opinion of this department that in pursuance of the provisions of section 8061, revised statutes of 1909, as interpreted in the latest rulings of the Supreme Court, State vs. Duvenick, 237, Missouri vs. Schenck, 238 Missouri, these bills become effective ninety days after the adjournment of the regular 1919 session of the legislature of Missouri.

Both of the cases cited by Cole were decided by Judge Franklin Ferris of St. Louis when a member of the Supreme Court.

Mrs. Gay Leeper returned last night from a vacation visit in Kansas City with her sister, Mrs. Jos. Brown.

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# 40 Years Ago Today

(Items Taken from the Nodaway Democrat of July 17, 1879.)

As yet Maryville has no park.

The Pioneer Elevator paid out some $700 on Monday for wheat and rye.

The residence of Dr. Campbell and Wm. A. Laing, in Barnard's addition, are progressing finely.

If it keeps seasonable from this on, there will be such a crop of corn in our county this fall that there will hardly be room outdoors to crib it.

By special action elsewhere Rev. A. D. Workman announces that the fall term of the Maryville academy will open next September first.

Circuit court adjourned last Friday evening, after having been in session four weeks lacking one day.

J. J. Armstrong is manufacturing at his foundry a handsome iron fence for John Wirth of Conception.

R. K. Townsend has let the contract to Conrad & Toterdale to build to the front of his residence an addition twenty-eight feet long, sixteen feet wide and twenty-eight feet in heighth. His present dwelling will also be considerably remodeled. All the work is to be done first-class and in the latest style of architecture. Wm. Thomas will do the painting.

The handsome case for keeping court papers in, put into the circuit court room just before the convening of court, proved a great convenience during the late session, and was universally commended by the members of the bar. It was manufactured by Chas. Lippman for the special purpose.

Ed Townsend bought a year ago last spring eighty acres of prairie land adjoining his farm, five miles northwest of Maryville. He had it broken and fenced, and sowed in fall wheat last fall. It is now harvested and he has just finished threshing fifty-four acres of it. Twenty-two acres averaged thirty-seven bushels and the fifty-four acres averaged thirty-two bushels.


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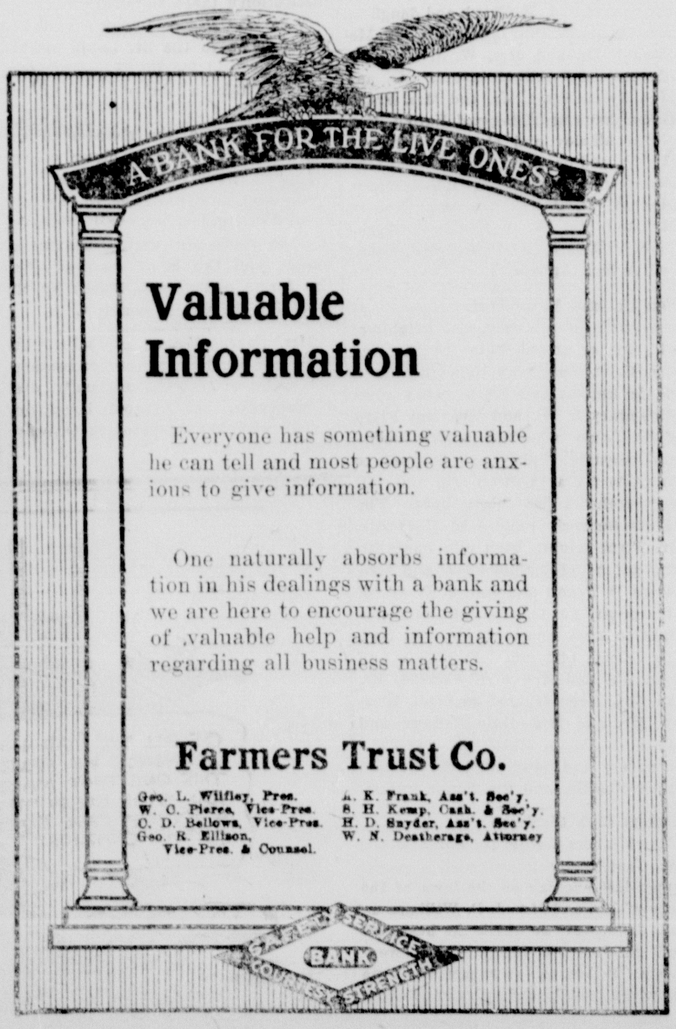
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## BILL HIGH CLASS FAIR ATTRACTIONS

JUDGE HANECY RECEIVING APPLICATIONS FOR CONCESSIONS THROUGHOUT U. S.

## ARTHUR KNIGHT STARTER

**Famous Horse Racing Man to Act as Official in Events Here; Hanecy to Corning Next Tuesday.**

The fact that the coming Nodaway County Fair which will be on in this city Aug. 11 to 16, is a really worth while attraction and occupies a prominent place in the entertainment world is attested to by the large number of applicants for concessions. Judge Hanecy stated today that calls from all over the United States have been received applying for the concession privileges at the Fair. He said that the contracts have been let for a wide number of high class side attractions in condition to the regular features and that Nodaway county will be afforded some of the best shows that can be billed.

The plans for the horse racing events are going forward with a rush and every day brings new entries to the already large field.

The management has been fortunate in securing the services of Arthur McKnight, one of the foremost starters in the country, to act as an official in the racing events. Mr. McKnight is well known to every follower of the horse racing game, and is considered the best race starter in the country.

The publicity end of the coming Fair is being carried on throughout the county, and practically every town in this vicinity has been placarded with bills and posters calling attention to the event.

Judge Hanecy announced today that he would leave with Ben Jones, of Parnell, next Tuesday to visit the Fair which is in progress now at Corning, Iowa. While at that place he will make arrangements for the showing of several crack harness horses here, and will also complete his plans for the draft horse and other live stock exhibits.

## DELIA CORBETT ASKS DIVORCE PLEA "INHUMAN" TREATMENT

**Alleges That Her Husband Bodily Ejected Her From the House and Other Cruelties.**

A divorce suit was filed with the circuit clerk today in which Mrs. Delia Corbett prays for a divorce from Dale Corbett. The plaintiff alleges, as grounds for divorce, "cruel and inhuman treatment" at times when she was sick. She further alleges that the defendant cursed her and permitted his two minor children by another wife to abuse her. She states that maters grew from bad to worse and that, after threatening to do so several times, the defendant finaly bodily ejected her from the house and that she has never since lived with him.

**Mrs. Heath and Son to Minnesota.**

Mrs. Clara Heath and small son, John Henry, left yesterday for White Bear Lake near St. Paul, Minn., where they will spend several weeks with the latter's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Heath, who have a cottage there. Mr. and Mrs. Heath's daughter, Miss Della Heath, has just returned from overseas where she had been engaged in Red Cross canteen work since last September.

## INTERESTING DISCUSSIONS FOR MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

Rev. R. E. Snod[illegible] completes List of Subjects to [illegible] Up; 80 Members [illegible] 'ass.

Topics of interes[illegible] ry month of the year, is the p[illegible] Rev. R. E. Snodgrass of the C[illegible] church, has formulated for h[illegible] Bible Class which meets every [illegible] morning at the Electric Theatre, and some good lively debates will undoubtedly be forthcoming among the class members. The class has enjoyed a rapid growth since its organization several weeks ago and the attendance now numbers 80. Current events as well as religious subjects are taken up by the young men of the class. Following is the list of subjects that have been selected by Rev. Snodgrass for discussion: August, "Training fo Full Efficiency;" September, "Restoring the Weak Spots;" October, "Good Government;" November, "Overthrowing Enemies;" December, "Making the Church Christian."

Tomorrow the subject of discussion will be "The Community Task" and next Sunday will be "A Survey of the Commercial and Social Co-operation."

State Historical Society COLUMBIA

## BOY SCOUTS MARCHED TO CAMP THIS MORNING

**80 Lads From Maryville, Hopkins, and Ravenwood, Headed by Commandant Peery Leave City at 6.**

Headed by Commandant Marve Peery approximately 80 boy scouts of Maryville, Hopkins, and Ravenwood, departed at 6 o'clock this morning on their 13 mile hike to the Scout encampment which is to be held until July 28 at the Linville farm near Skidmore.

The Hopkins and Ravenwood contingents came to Maryville yesterday afternoon and spent the night at the Scout headquarters in this city preparatory to the advance this morning. Most of the Maryville scouts spent their "last night" at their respective homes, and it is said that when the khaki clad youths departed, many a scene similar to those enacted last year when the United States was marshalling her yuong monhood took place.

At the Scout headquarters last night the visiting lads got a touch of the soldiers life. Cots were a minus quantity at the headquarters, and the bays rolled in their blankets in true scout fashion and "hit the boards" for their night's slumber. The spirit of the Boy Scout was shown by these hardy youngsters, however, and before long the juvenile soldiers were enjoying sound healthy sleep in their new "billet."

The trip to Skidmore this morning was made with the full pack and equipment, and several lads carried regulation army mess kits and other pharaphernelia which they had borrowed from their older brothers.

Commandant Peery stated this morning before the march started that he expected to reach the camp objective by noon today, and the snappy manner in which the Scouts started off indicated that they would.

The camp was placed in order by a group of Scouts from this city who went to the site yesterday morning.

**Frank Garrett Buys Farm.**

A real estate deal whereby Paul Sexton sold a 120 acre farm, located six miles south of Maryville, to Frank Garrett of this city, has been made through the G. B. Holmes Real Estate Company. The consideration was $21,000.

Mr and Mrs. James D. Frank and son, J. D., Jr., of Livingston, Texas, will arrive tonight for a visit with Mr. Frank's sister, Mrs. Fred Kurtz, his brother, W. C. Frank, and other relatives. Enroute to Maryville they visited relatives in Kansas City and King City.


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ELECTRIC THEATRE


## HOLD CHAUTAUQUA AT H. S. GROUNDS

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## S. T. C. SITE PROHIBITIVE

**Executive Committee at Meeting This Afternoon Figure $150 Necessary to Put Latter Grounds in Condition.**

Unless the citizens of Maryville take some definite action to have the coming Redpath-Vawter Chautauqua show at the State Teachers College Park, it will be held at the Maryville High School grounds. This was decided at the meeting of the executive committee held this afternoon at the office of Chairman G. B. Roseberry.

In the discussion at the meeting this afternoon, it was brought out that T. F. Graham, Assistant Manager of the Chautauqua on his visit to Maryville several months ago decided upon the High school site as the logical location for the entertainment, owing to its easy access by the townspeople. In the contract a clause states that the chautauqua may be held at any place to be decided on by the guarantors, and due to the desire of several of these men to have the affair staged at the Teachers College park, the differences were brought up at the meeting yesterday.

It was pointed out by Chairman Roseberry at the meeting this afternoon that the staging of the chautauqua at the College park would mean the expenditure of at least $150. He said that the buildings formerly used for the entertainment have deteriorated and would have to be rebuilt, and that a new pipe line would have to be put in to furnish a water supply. In addition to this, Mr. Roseberry stated that a special policeman would be necessary at the College site, while if the program is put on at the High School, the city police will be able to furnish the necessary protection.

The committee decided at the meeting this afternoon to allow the chautauqua to be put on at the High school grounds unless some outside committee of citizens take enough interest in the matter to raise the necessary funds to move it to the College grounds.

The chautauqua tent will be erected on the site where the Scoville revival meetings were held, in the northwest corner of the school grounds facing on Second street.

A committee composed of George McMurray, and Earl Barmann will have charge of the grounds, and a convenient place for parking cars will be set aside near the tent.

**THREE BUDDIES ARRIVE HOME AFTER A YEAR ACROSS SEAS**

**Elmer Bagby, Robert Burris and Paul Wilson Return Home After Touring Europe With Uncle Sam.**

Three buddies in the persons of Robert Burris, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burris, Elmer Bagby, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Bagby and Paul Willson son of Mr. and Mrs. U. I. Willson of Barnard, stepped off the mornins train from St. Louis glad to see the old burg again after a year spent in touring France with Uncle Sam.

These three boys were members of the 441st Motor Supply Train, attached to the Third Regular Army Division. They have been in the same company since they arrived at camp from Maryville at the time of their induction into the service. The three received their discharge at Camp Zachary Taylor, Louisville, Kentucky, recently.

**On Motor Trip to Ozarks.**

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wallace and children, Katherine, Ethel and Edwin, will leave tomorrow morning on a motor trip to the Ozarks where they will spend ten days or two weeks. They will be accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Manchester and Mr. and Mrs. George Manchester and children of Skidmore.

**Miss Stella Smith Home.**

Miss Stella Smith, who has been teaching in San Antonio, Texas, arrived last night to spend the rest of the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Q. Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Smith's son, Chas. W. Smith of Kansas City, will come tonight to join his wife and children, Sheldon and Mary Eleanor, who have been visiting here for several weeks.

## COMETS TO MEET THE AGENCY NINE TOMORROW

**Rollers Have Good Record, Beating Teams That Have Taken Comets Into Tow; Stockyards Again July 27.**

The Maryville Comets will meet the Agency, Mo., nine at the Fair grounds park tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The Agency team represents the big rolling plant at that place, and according to the record which they have made should give the Comets a good run. They have defeated both the St. Joe Stockyards and the Westab team of that place which took the Comets into tow on the local lot last Sunday.

Cap Black has arranged for a game wit the Stockyards team here on Sunday, July 27. On August 3 the Comets will play the Chases of St. Joe and will journey to Albany on August 17 where they will meet the team of that place.

## OUTLINING WORK FOR SHORT COURSE

TO BE HELD AT COLLEGE THE WEEK OF JULY 28 TO AUGUST 4

## SPECIALISTS TO TEACH

**Prof. Holden Will Be Here in Person and Have Supervision of the Work—Many to Attend.**

The outline of the work to be done in the short course in vitalized agriculture which is to be held at the State Teachers College during the week of July 28 to August 4 is being worked out by County Superintendent Bert Cooper and will be completed some time next week.

Prof. P. J. Holden will have personal charge of the work and will have with him as assistant specialists in various phases of vitalized agriculture.

It is planned to have at least two classes for demonstration purposes and possibly more, if the work can not be handled in the two classes.

Many county superintendents and superintendents of schools from this part of the state have signified their intention of coming here for the short course.

Mrs. L. P. Markley, one of Prof. Holden's specialists, will have charge of the vitalized agriculture extension department and will be here for the entire week. This department promises to be one of the features of the course.

Mrs. Pratt another expert in her line of work, will conduct the home demonstration department. This will be one of the most interesting phases of the week's course.

Besides the two above named specialists, Prof. Holden will bring others with him to assist him in his instruction work. However, it has not definitely been decided who the other members of Prof. Holden's corps of teachers will be at this date.

**AIR POSTAGE TO TWO CENTS**

**Is Reduced to Regular Rate for First Class Mail.**

Washington, July 19.—Postmaster General Burleson yesterday reduced the postage rate on airplane mail to two cents an ounce, the regular rate for first class mail matter, and placed the air mail service on the same footing with all other means of mail transportation.

The effect of the order, Otto Praeger, second assistant postmaster general, explained, is to place all first class mail on the same basis, and the questioon of time in mailing will determine whether or not a letter will go by airplane instead of by train. Letters in transit, which miss train connection, will be forwarded by airplane to make up the lost time.

It was stated that there was no guarantee under the new arrangement that a letter would go by airplane, but that persons might go to postoffice stations where airplane mail sacks were made up and request that their letters be put in these sacks.

**WICHITA TO N. Y. IN AIRPLANE.**

Wichita, July 19.—C. F. Kettering, president of the Dayton Laboratory company, and his pilot, Howard Rhinehart, left here at 8:30 o'clock this morning in a DeHaviland airplane for a non stop flight to New York City, where they expect to land before dark tonight.

## NEW STATE LAWS EFFECTIVE AUG. 7

A NEW LAW RELATIVE TO SELLING OF STOLEN MOTOR VEHICLES

## WILL REDUCE CAR THEFTS

**Every Public Garage or Repair Shop Must Keep Register of Every Vehicle—Penalty for Joy Riders.**

Jefferson City, July 19.—Attorney General McAllister submitted a legal opinion to the secretary of state yesterday, holding that except in specific cases all general laws passed by the regular session of the legislature will be in full force and effective August 7. A great number of conflicting opinions have been circulated here lately as to the date of the going into effect of these laws.

This ruling will settle the controversy as to when the law for the protection of owners of motor cars from thieves of all kinds will go into effect. One act in question was introduced by Senator Casey of Kansas City at the instance of the chief of police of Kansas City, and for the express purpose of curbing thieves and making it next to impossible for them to sell stolen vehicles in this state.

**Must Register all Vehicles.**

Every public garage or repair shop must keep a strict register of every vehicle placed in such garage or repair shop. This registry must contain the name and address of the owner, date, number of state and city license, if the latter is attached to the car, and the manufacturer's number. A careful note must be made if any identifying number or mark on such vehicle has been changed, such as the removal of a number or the mutilation thereof, and such information must at once be reported to the police or other proper officials. The alteration of an engine number or its mutilation is made prima facia evidence of larceny. The modification of this section applies to owners of vehicles who are well known to the owners of the garage or repair shop and whose vehicles have been in their custody. The plain object of the section is to secure a complete record of every motor car that is left at a garage or repair shop and to at once advise the proper low officers if there is any evidence of the larceny of a vehicle. The penalties on garage and repair shop keepers for a violation of the law ranges from a fine of $500 to one years' imprisonment for each offense.

**Penalty for Joy Riders.**

Joy riders, who appropriate other people's motor cars without the consent of the owners, will incur the penalties of a felony for so doing. They may be fined $500 and sentenced to jail for one year, or both, or sent to the penitentiary for five years. It is a felony, the same as affixed for joy riders of the class stated, to alter any number or seek to conceal any identifying marks on a motor car for the purpose of misrepresenting the identity of such motor vehicle. The same penalty applies to those who purchase or handle automobiles bearing the evidence provided in the law of having been stolen.

A bill by Representative Parker of St. Louis applies the same penalties to parties who purchase tires from which the identifying marks have been removed.

A third bill, by Senator Gray of Jasper County, provides a method of catching those who have stolen motor cars when they seek to sell the same or are apprehended with the vehicle in their possession. The original license issued by the secretary of state is evidence of the ownership of a motor vehicle. If the owner desires to sell or trade his car, he must go before some one authorized to take acknowledgements and make the transfer and the purchaser must hold a receipt showing that he purchased the vehicle from its owners. This receipt must be attested to by the person making the transfer record. Absence of such a receipt is made prima facia evidence of larceny.

**Hope to Minimize Thefts.**

The state motor car department is making arrangements for the strict enforcement of these laws. While it is not presumed that they will have the happy effect of driving all motor car thieves out of the state, it is believed that the number of such offenses will drop to the minimum and the means for catching the thieves will be greatly increased.

James O'Connor, who is in charge of the motor car department under the secretary of state, says that one reason for so many motor car thieves in Missouri is due to the fact that most of the surrounding states have laws very much like the new laws to go into effect in this state August 7, and the crooks have considered it much safer to operate in Missouri where the means of detection were somewhat limited and the chances for disposing of stolen vehicles less dangerous.

## NEW PACIFIC GUARDIANS SAIL FROM HAMPTON ROADS

**Six Powerful Dreadnaughts, Twenty-three Destroyers, and Three Supply Ships Form Cavalcade.**

Newport News, Va., July 19.—The proudest ships of the mighty fleet which will henceforth guard our Pacific shores, sailed out of Hampton Roads today, bound on a long journey to their home waters. Six of the most powerful super-dreadnoughts in the world, twenty-three destroyers, and three supply ships formed the naval cavalcade. Before the fleet passes through the Panama canal, probably fifty ships will be in the line.

## IDAHO FIRE FIGHTERS TO BATTLE FOREST FLAMES

**Fire Raging Along a Thirteen Mile Front in Yellow Pine District; Immense Area Destroyed.**

Boise, July 19.—Crews of men were loaded into the big army trucks today and started for the scene of the raging forest fires in the yellow pine district of west central Idaho.

The fire is burning on a thirteen mile front, ten miles wide. An area thirty miles long and fifteen miles wide has been burned over during the past two weeks.

In all, one hundred thousand acres are in flame and a repetition of the forest fires of 1910, which caused a twenty-two million dollar loss, is feared.

**SEN. KENYON BRINGS CHARGES**

**Iowa Senator Says Big Packing Industries Spread Propaganda Against Regulation Bill.**

Washington, July 19.—Flat charges that the great packing interests in the country have conducted a wide spread propaganda against his bill, which would regulate their industry, were made today by Senator Kenyon, of Iowa.

**R. I. RAIL STRIKE IS ON**

**Newport Only Town Not Affected by General Walk-out of Transportation Employees.**

Providence, R. I., July 19.—Practically the entire state of Rhode Island with the exception of Newport, is tied up by a strike of the employees of the traction lines operated by the Rhode Island companies. Approximately four hundred miles of track are useless, and half a million people are without transportation.

**PRESIDENT SLIGHTLY ILL.**

Washington, July 19.—President Wilson was bothered today with a slight attack of indigestion, it was said at the white house executive offices. It was only trifling, it was stated.

**Week End Guests.**

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Everest and Mrs. Will Ardery of St. Joseph will motor to Maryville this afternoon to spend the week end with Mrs. T. L. Robinson and Dr. and Mrs. Charles Bell.

Prof. and Mrs. Robert L. Denning of St. Joseph, who have been spending a few days with the former's father, David Manning, and his sister, Mrs. Eldon Lloyd, returned home this afternoon.

Miss Mary Woodridge left this morning for Hugo, Colo., to spend a few weeks with her father, Ed H. Woodridge.

Dr. and Mrs. K. C. Cummins and sons, Eugene and Francis, returned Thursday night from a two weeks' motor trip to Chugwater, Wyo., and other western points.

## SERIOUS STRIKES TIE UP CHICAGO

CITY FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT CRIPPLED BY WALK-OUT

## QUIT AT BIG PLANTS

**Rail Employees Threaten to Stall Transportation System; Situation Most Serious in Years.**

Chicago, July 19.—Two hundred and thirty-seven men who operate Chicago's teams of fire and gas engines went on a strike this morning, leaving the city's fire fighting equipment badly crippled. Fifteen thousand employees of the elevated, subway, and street railway lines voted overwhelmingly to strike unless they are granted an increase. About a hundred thousand men, employed in building and construction work are locked out by their employers, who charge the men with violation of the agreements. A thousand men are on a strike at the Argo plant and the plants of the International Harvester Company, Crane and Company and many smaller industries. These are the outstanding features today of the most serious labor situation Chicago has faced in years.

## SUSPICIOUS WHEAT FIRES ROUSE KANSAS FARMERS

**Community Near Beloit Scouring the Country for Perpetrators; New Harvest Hands and Strangers Warned.**

Beloit, Kan., July 19.—The community southeast of Beloit is thoroughly aroused over the belief that someone is starting fires in the wheat fields. The feeling is so high that new harvest hands and strangers are warned away. Vigilantes are scouring the country for evidence of the parties who are believed to have started two fires at midnight last night in the adjoining fields of Saltlerk township, which destroyed a hundred and sixty acres of wheat.

## GERMANS REFUSE TO PAY FRANCE INDEMNITY

**Agree to Compensate Family of Sergeant Mancheim for French Soldier's Death in Berlin Streets.**

London, July 1.—The German government has decided to refuse to pay France one million francs indemnity for the murder of Sergeant Mancheim, of the French Military Mission, by a mob in the principal street of Berlin last Sunday morning, but agree to compensate Mancheim's family, said an exchange telegraph Copenhagen dispatch today.

**HONOR AMERICAN TROOPS IN BRITISH PEACE PARADE**

**Yankee Doughboys Occupy Leading Position in Most Brilliant Celebration in England.**

London, July 19.—With the American troops in a place of honor, fourteen nations joined with England today in the celebration of peace, with the most brilliant and stupendous parade this nation has ever seen. Fully two million, five hundred thousand people saw the seven mile long procession that passed through the city among the plaudits of the multitude.

Miss Helen Burris is here from St. Joseph to spend her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burris.

Rev. and Mrs. G. S. Cox are entertaining Mrs. Cox's parents, Dr. and Mrs. S. E. Schenck of Burlingame, Kan.

**WEATHER FOR TODAY**

Partly cloudy tonight and Sunday, probably unsettled; not much change in temperature.


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### Parnell Sentinel.

Parnell will soon have another bank in its town to be known as "The Parnell Bank." The promotors claim they are not putting in this institution for the purpose of injuring any other similar one, but merely as a business proposition. With the exception of two or three all are farmers. W. C. Nelson of the bank at Cole Camp, Mo., will be the cashier.

Are we to have a picnic this coming month or are we not? That is a question to be settled at once. No use dragging along until it is time to have one and then make a decision one way of the other. Two meetings have been held during the last week without any decision. Not enough of the business men come out to take an interest, yet if you will ask them they will tell you that they are in favor of a celebration or a three days picnic, but that does not seem to satisfy the few that do meet.

Mrs. Inez G. Cummins returned to her home at Maryville Sunday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hall.

### WHEAT RUSH THRU ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis, July 19.—The wheat rush through this city has started, according to Bart H. Lang of the United State Grain Corporation, and will reach its heighth in about ten days. No congestion of traffic on the railways is expected, according to Lang, as the grain can be shipped out as soon as it comes into St. Louis yards.

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# NEWS FROM
## NODAWAY COUNTY TOWNS

### Hopkins Journal.

Early Sunday morning the news came of the passing of one of our oldest and best known citizens, James A. Jackson, at his country home at the east edge of Hopkins. He had been in failing health for about two years. Mr. Jackson was born in Brunswick Co., Va., Feb. 22, 1843, and departed this life about 4:30 a. m., July 13, 1919, aged 76 years, 4 months and 21 days. He was married when a young man to Miss Minerva Shockley, a daughter of Lonsford Shockley, who resided near Albany. To this union was born one child, Ollie V. Jackson, now deceased. The death of his first wife occurred at Hopkins March 1, 1904. He was married Nov. 1, 1904 to Dollie Chaney, daughter of D. L. and Susan Chaney. Funeral services were conducted at the Jackson home in east Hopkins on Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 by R. R. Watts, pastor of the Hopkins Baptist church. Interment at Hopkins cemetery.

The following relatively to Roy Godsey and his airplane is taken from the Topeka State Journal:

Definite arrangements were made today with Roy Godsey, business manager of Lieut. Thomas Webber, British Royal flyer now in Topeka, to take late afternoon editions of the Topeka State Journal to Eskridge, Baldwin and Emmett and negotiations are being made for deliveries at St. Marys, Wamego and a number of other surrounding towns.

The air delivery of the Journal will be made to Eskridge next Friday and to Baldwin on the following Tuesday. Other dates are to be made in the near future. Lieutenant Webber will have to start from the Washburn field just as soon as the presses run off the paper to be carried. These papers will be rushed to Washburn field in an auto and should be in the towns to which they are to be taken before the Topeka carriers complete their rounds of the city.

Godsey, Webber's manager, announced that the thrilling flight over the state house dome will be made Sunday evening at 7:20 if the air conditions are right. Godsey and Webber will ride in the machine on this trip. They will ascend 5,000 feet directly over the capitol dome, will dive down to within a few hundred feet of the dome itself and will then make a spiral dive around the dome.

John R. King and family have decided to spend a year in California and may make that state their permanent home. Mrs. King and little daughter leave in about three weeks and Mr. King will follow as soon as he can close up affairs on the farm. He and his son will give a fine hog sale in October and the senior Mr. King will leave soon after that for the West.

The Journal some weeks ago told of Charley McMaster, of Twin Falls, Idaho, coming to Missouri where he bought and shipped west two car loads fof pedigreed Shorthorn cattle. He put them in a sale the other day at Twin Falls and the average price brought was $770, showing that Missouri cattle are hard to beat, especially when they are put in the ring by a combination "Missouri and Iowa" man like Mack.

A deal was made Friday in which G. W. Brown of Nebraska, became the owner of the J. G. Mafer 120 acres southwest of town, $185 being the price paid per acre. Mr. Brown is a brother-in-law to C. H. Duffield who resides on the Tim Butts farm. Joe expects to move to Colorado this fall.

Col. L. C. Foreman of Hopkins and Col. Clyde Cummins of Bedford, have formed a partnership in the auction business and will cry sales together from now on.

### Bolckow Herald.

One day recently Mr. Erickson departed for Cheyenne where he was met by Miss Bernice McGinnis of Maryville, Mo., and on June 28th they were united in marriage in the capital city. Mr. Erickson has lived in this vacinity for some time, having a farm along Dwyer route where he has resided except for nearly two years which he spent in the various training camps in the service of Uncle Sam. He is a young man of sterling qualities and good habits who numbers his friends by his acquaintances, who are now offering congratulations at this felicitous time. Mrs. Erickson was a resident of Maryville and was one of the successful school teachers in that vicinity. She is a pleasant young lady and very popular with her home companions and will be gladly welcomed to this vicinity. Mr. and Mrs. Erickson are at home to their many friends who wish for them all the joys that are possible in their new relationship. —Wheatland, Wyo., newspaper. Mr. Erickson is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Erickson, who live east of town.

### Bernard Bulletin.

L. C. Severs and J. E. Sell sold their interests as managers of the McCleave Hardware Co. to Earl McCleave Tuesday of this week. McCleave to take active management about the middle of August. Severs has purchased one-fourth interest in the Graig-Lincoln Hardware Co. at Burlington Junction. McCleave purchased one-fourth and Mattie Brown owns the rest of the store. Severs will go to Burlington Junction as manager of the store about the middle of August.

Harry Goff returned home from service in France last Wednesday and seems to be as hale and hearty as ever before. He says he will probably take his old job back in Joplin within a few days.

### Burlington Junction Post.

Dale Carter, who for eleven years was assistant cashier of the First National bank of this place, and later went to Omaha to take a position in the credit department of Armour & Co. offices, has bought a half interest in the mercantile business conducted by George McKnight in Longmont, Colo. Dale will continue in his present position for two weeks and will then move to Longmont to make his home.

The Post is glad to announce this week that Jonathan Graves, who was seriously injured by a fall last Thursday, is slightly improved. Although very sore and still confined to his bed, he is resting better and everything is now favorable for his recovery.

Miss Lucile Carter will leave Saturday for Chicago, where she will take some special work in the university of Chicago. She will stop en route at Indianola and Des Moines, Iowa, where she will be the guest of friends for several days. After completing her work in the university she will go to Redfield, S. Dak., where she will teach in the high school again this year.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Shackleford left Tuesday morning for an extended trip in the west. They were accompanied by Mr. Shackleford's sister, Mrs. Frank Crist of Shenandoah, Iowa. They will visit a sister, Mrs. Tom Wallace, at Bakersfield, Calif., and expect to be gone six weeks or longer.

J. D. Smith, who has been an assistant at the depot for some time, went to Shenandoah last night to have charge of the freight depot of the Wabash. A Maryville man will take his place at this depot.

Mrs. Joseph J. Carter of Holywood, Cal., has been visiting at the home of Dr. Joseph's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Carter. She came here from Salisbury, where she visited relatives several days.

### Elmo Register.

W. C. Aldrich got one of his hands badly hurt while handling some lumber at the yard, a scantling falling on the hand with sufficient force to break it.

The first wagon load of wheat for this locality, was marketed Thursday of last week by A. G. Castillo. It tested 58 pounds to the bushel.

John A. Bush has sold his store to Erna A. Watson, who took possession Friday.

Beginning on next Sunday evening the churches of Elmo will hold union services on Sunday evenings. The first services will be held at the Christion church and Bro. Smallwood of the M. E. Church, South, will preach. These services will continue during July and August.

The Elmo Town Board met in regular session on last Friday night. An ordinance was passed granting permission to the Standard Oil Co., to erect and maintain a supply station on the railroad right of way north of the grain elevator and cribs. Z. T. Vansickle was appointed collector of the town for the present year.

Harlan Peery is moving this week across the street to the building he bought, where the J. A. Bush store was so long.

### Conception Courier.

Mrs. J. F. Pfeifer was in Maryville Saturday, taking the civil service examination for Post Mistress to fill vacancy caused by the expiration of the term of the present incumbent, Henry J. Berg. Mrs. Pfeifer was the only applicant for the position and her many friends will be pleased to learn of her successfully passing the examination and receiving the appointment.

The many friends of Judge Matt Farnan will regret to learn that there has been but little improvement in his condition.

The work on the addition to the school house is progressing nicely and it is expected that it will be completed by the middle of August.

### Clearmont News.

W. P. Lemon, wife and son left Saturday morning for a trip to the mountains, expecting to visit Denver, Colorado Springs, Loveland, Cheyenne and other points of interest. They will probably be gone until the first of September. J. E. Hornbuckle, wife and daughter went to St. Joseph Friday and will join Mr. Lemon there and go with him, but they will be gone only about a month.

There were 5 cars of stock shipped to the St. Joseph market Tuesday, Jim Milbank shipping 3 of hogs and one of cattle and Jake Burch one of hogs.

### Skidmore News.

The editor of this paper, W. J. Skidmore and his son, Junior, expect to leave next Tuesday in their car for a trip to Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada, where they will meet those of the National Editorial Association who will take the big trip, that has been planned, through the Pacific Northwest. This is what is termed the Victory Tour and it is planned that the start from Winnipeg will be made the latter part of July for points of interest through the picturesque Rocky Mountain region of Western Canada.

Mrs. D. F. Harrison motored to Maryville Wednesday, where she met Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Edwards and children, Virginia, Elizabeth and Tommie, of Hobbing, Minnesota, who were returning from a visit with Mr. Edward's parents at Gaylax, Virginia.

Dr. F. J. Brown of Maryville, received a message the latter part of last week calling him to Fresno, California, on account of the serious illness of his mother. He left via Maryville, Friday evening for her bedside. Mrs. Brown and the baby are staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Walker, during her husband's absence.

Sterling Edwin, the little two-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Turpin was quite seriously injured last Monday evening, by having a couple of deep gashes cut in his right leg by the sickle of a mower driven by his father. A physician was called and found it necessary to take several stitches to close the wounds. The little fellow was brought to town Tuesday evening and he and his mother are staying with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Manchester in order to be near the physician that the wounds may be properly cared for.

### Guilford Times.

Last Thursday as per call, a few of the guarantors met at the Times office and effected an organization of the Local Committee as follows: E. T. Reisner, chairman; M. C. Noland, vice chairman; Arthur Thompson, secy.; W. B. Torrance, treasurer and S. E. Jobe, member.

On Friday morning this committee met and appointed a chairman of various committees as follows: Grounds, Jobe; Concessions, piano, light, etc., Noland; Advertising, Torrance, Entertainment, Reisner; Sale of tickets and war tax, Arthur Thompson.

Everybody remember the date, August 1, 2, 3.

Warren Wilson was employed by the board of the Skidmore school to teach it the coming school year, at $75 per month.

### Got a Job.

He wrote seventeen letters of application, had twelve friends write testimonials, referred various firms to seven others, called twenty-one times himself, had friends of the family phone in fourteen cases—and then the local paper said he had "accepted a position."—Exchange.

### B. Quick Too Slow.

Kansas City.—B. Quick, of the Kansas side, failed to live up to the name in Missouri. In fact, B. Quick was so slow in appearing in North Municipal court here to answer to a charge of violating the traffic ordinance that his $5 bond was declared forfeited.

Our July Clearance Sale Will Continue All Next Week

*Be sure to take advantage of the Many Bargains being Offered*

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The Store That is Anxious to Please You.

The Pitiless Light of Publicity

The buyer of advertising speace is just as much entitled to know what he gets for his money as is the purchaser of any other commodity. Dry goods are sold by the yard, eggs and small fruits by the dozen, meats, butter, etc., by the pound, liquids by the quart and practically all other articles by some unit of measurement. But advertising space—alas—is too often sold on unsubstantial claims and wild guesses and bought with blindfolded eyes.

This should not be. Space buyers should know what they are getting for their money. The means of knowing the truth are at hand. The standards of value are quantity and character of circulation. The yardstick with which to measure them is found in the reports of the Audit Bureau of Circulations.

Let their impartial investigators turn on the pitiless light of publicity.

The publisher who is offering genuine circulation value for the rates he asks and who has nothing to conceal welcomes the investigations of the A. B. C. for they prove the correctness of his statements in an authoritive manner. On the other hand the publisher who does not belong to the A. B. C. encourages the belief that what he is selling is not worth the price he asks and that investigation will not substantiate his claims. It is to the buyer's interest to know the facts.

The man who suffers the most ultimately is the one who buys on claims not supported by facts. He pays a high price for what he gets and does not get that for which he pays. The man who has value to offer does not try to conceal the facts.

Before buying space—turn on the pitiless light of publicity.

The Democrat-Forum always has been an advocate of proved circulations. It preached the doctrine when it was mighty unpopular with most publishers. It practiced what it preached by throwing open its books to any interested person and by giving advertisers definite facts. It believes in the A. B. C. and in the use of its reports for space buying.

Space buyers should demand A. B. C. reports.

# Social, Clubs Churches

**Gex Dinner Guests.**

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Gex, living near Graham, entertained with a dinner yesterday noon. Their guests were Mrs. Anderson Craig and her guest, Mrs. Stella Horner of Wichita, Kan., and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burris of Maryville.

**Entertains at High Five.**

Mrs. J. M. Conley entertained with a high five party last night at her home on North Main street. Miss Lenore Schumacher received the favor. At the conclusion of the games, a two-course luncheon was served. The guests were Mrs. Richard Kuchs, Mrs. Eldon Irvin, Mrs. C. W. Yehle, Mrs. John Shonley, Mrs. Rodney Hamblin, Mrs. F. W. White, Misses Lenore and Rose Schumacher, Misses Della and Kitty Grems, Miss Katherine and Teresa Shonley and Hilda Lahr.

**Sunday at Big Lake.**

Eight couples will motor to Big Lake in the morning to spend the day. A picnic dinner will be served at noon and rowing and swimming will be enjoyed. The party will include Misses Hazel Wallace, Kahla Bennick, Grace Miller, Veturia Faubion, Elvira Ward, Carrie Coler, Ruby Ewing, and Naomi Walker of Lenox, Ia., and Harold and Euel Ramsey, Blaine Archer, Halley Ford, Henry Miller, Lowell Livengood, Ralph Palmer and Lawrence Zelinn.

**Mowery W. W. W. Club.**

The Mowery W. W. W. Club was entertained at the home of Mrs. James Clayton. Methods of preparing pickles were discussed, and luncheon was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Harve Cline, Mrs. Walter Runnels, Mrs. Parl Runnels, Mrs. Dennis McGinness, Mrs. Albert Simmons, Mrs. Marion Rickard, Mrs. Chas. Clayton, Misses Anna Loch and Nellie Root, Mrs. Irvin Loch and Mrs. Stewart Robinson. Mrs. Albert Hinton will be the next hostess, with Mrs. Rickard as leader.

**Mrs. Harvey Entertains.**

Mrs. Edmond Harvey entertained the Bloomdale Willing Workers Club Thursday. The time was spent socially and dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Bart Shannon. The club adjourned to meet July 31 with Mrs. Will Gorton. The following members were present: Mrs. Walter Runnels, Mrs. Parl Runnels, Mrs. Frank Maxon, Mrs. Robert Aley, Mrs. Will Lett, Mrs. Will Boatwright, Mrs. Bart Shannon and the hostess, and Margaret Shannon, Ruth Maxon, Vivian and Audrey Boatwright Mina and Lois Harvey, and Lerita Lett, and others present were Lena and Opal Kunkle, Lillian and Eldena Runnels, Joseph Paul Aley and Lauren Runnels.

**Berean Class Picnic.**

The members of the Berean Class of the Christian Church and their families enjoyed a picnic supper Thursday evening at the College park. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Whitehead, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Henry and son, Leroy, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Frank and daughter, Eva Margaret, Prof. and Mrs. J. M. McDonald, Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Lininger, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mercer, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Frost, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Green and sons, Eldon and Harold, Mrs. Nellie Manley and children, Mrs. Ed Hamlin and daughter, Isabel, Mrs. John Borrusch and daughter, Mabel Grace, Mrs. A. D. Arnett and son, Robert, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cauffield, Verna Crosby, Mrs. T. R. Moore, Sue Young and Alvena Appleby.

**For Mr. and Mrs. Flynt.**

A party of relatives and neighbors will gather at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Roseberry tomorrow for a picnic dinner, the affair being complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Flynt of St. Louis, who will arrive tomorrow morning. They are enroute to Colorado for a vacation trip and will only spend a few days here. The Flynts formerly resided in Maryville, Mr. Flynt having been city engineer. The guest list includes Mr. and Mrs. James D. Frank and son, J. D. Jr., of Livingston, Texas, who will come tonight to visit relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kurtz and sons, Frederick and John, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Conrad, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Hagins and son, Wesley, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bellows and daughter, Emma Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Roseberry and daughters, Esther and Laura Phoebe, and the honor guests.

**Mothers Club Picnic.**

The Mothers Club of the South Methodist Church entertained with a picnic supper last evening on the lawn of the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Williams on East 3rd street, at which the husbands and children of the members were guests. Following the supper, the time was spent socially and swings and other amusements were provided fr the children. Those present were Mrs. Alva Maul and children, Mrs. Will Burr and daughter, Evelyn, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Williams and daughter and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Orchard, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Leet and children, Mrs. R. C. Holliday and son, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Nicholas and children, Mrs. Wayne Broyles, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Padgett and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dale, Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Williams and baby daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Seal, Mrs. Bess Thorp and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cornell and son, Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Tulloch and daughter, Virginia, Mrs. Chas. Seiler and daughter, Misses Frances and Florence Holliday and H. G. Leet.

**For Oklahoma Guest.**

Mrs. Mina Gett gave a picnic supper last evening at the College park for her guest, Miss Bess Wallace of Okmulgee, Okla., who leaves for her home today. Additional guests were Mrs. Loren Schnabel, Mrs. A. D. Arnett, Miss Olo Smith, Miss Ina Hallowell, Ione Gett and Sterling Gett.

**Home From Wedding Trip.**

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lewis Hartness, whose marriage was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mutz, July 13, have returned from their wedding trip. They will be at home after August 1 at 303 West 11th street.

**Lawn Party for Returned Soldiers.**

Mrs. G. Oto Riley, Miss Fannie Albright, Elta Taylor and Ruby and Gladys Wright gave a lawn party Wednesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Teason, southeast of Skidmore, in honor of a number of returned soldiers. Games on the lawn and Victrola music were enjoyed and refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. The guests were Misses Mildred and Myrtle Brown, Bessie Mitchell, Hildred and Evelyn Goslee, Letha Strickler, Grace Smith, Freda and Vela Peoples, Marie Logan, Viola Barber, Opal Hart, Lois McDaniels, Mae Coston, Amy Barrett, Nita Strickler, Delma Albright, Mabel Taylor and Harry Bunny, Ralph and Burman Wright, Austin Roberts, Charley McDaniels, Frank Coston, Adrain Taylor, Paul and Pierre Karr, Fred and Joe O'Riley, Dean Goslee, Earl Peoples, Clyde Collins, Fred Conrad, Frank Lehman, Frank Hitchcock, Frank Barber, Clarence Smith, Jack Magers, Otto Riley, Albert Sewell, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Linville, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lehman, Mr. and Mrs. Verne Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Barrett, Mr. and Mrs. Teson and Master Verne LeRoy Riley.

**PRISON FARMS AN ASSET.**

Jefferson City, July 19.—Agricultural operations of the State Prison Board this season will go a long way towards pulling that institution out of its financial hole.

Yesterday prison authorities shipped the third car load of wheat raised on the prison farms. In all there will be 7,000 bushels to market and the grain is bringing from $2.18 to $2.22 per bushel. It is a money-making operation, the board finds, to sell the wheat and buy the flour to feed the prison population.

In addition to the wheat crop the prison farms are growing many thousands of bushels of corn and vegetables of all kinds sufficient to keep the institution's table supplied.

A carload of hogs shipped from the prison pens to the St. Louis market this week sold for $22.35 per hundred pounds netting a total of $3,485 for the car load.

Henry Andras, the member of the Prison Board, who has direct charge of the agricultural operations estimates that no department of the penitentiary's industries will show a greater profit for the investment of money and the labor involved than the farms owned and leased by the state for the use of convicts.

Mrs. Eugene Watson of Cadiz, Ohio, is visiting at the home of her brother-in-law, Albert Watson, and family, west of Maryville. She is enroute home from a visit with her daughter in Ordway, Colo.

# Go to Church Tomorrow

The announcements of various Churches printed herewith are invitations to you to attend their services.

**South Methodist.**

At the Sunday School hour, two readings, "Husbands for Sale," and "The Cat Bit You," will be given by the little Misses Katherine and Ellen Elizabeth Courtney. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Preaching by the pastor. Epworth League at 7. Evening services at 8. Sermon by the pastor. Special music at both services.

**Baptist.**

Sunday school meets at 9:30 a. m. There is a class for every age. The Men's Organized Bible class will meet under the shade of the trees on the large lawn east of the church. A cordial welcome is extended to all men who want a delightfully cool place to study the Bible Sunday morning.

The pastor will preach Sunday morning at 11 on "Baptist Fundamentals," and at the evening service at 8:30 on "Heart Diseases." Special music will be furnished at both services by Ed Goodspeed and Frank Tebow. A special program will be rendered at 7:30 by the B. Y. P. U. with Miss Goldie Alcock as leader.

**Presbyterian.**

First Presbyterian, Main and Jennings. Dr. S. A. Cole, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 o'clock. H. P. Swinehart superintendent. Morning church worship at 11 o'clock. Subject of sermon, "The Sure Foundation." Anthem, "Praise Ye," (Verdi). Evening worship at 8:30 o'clock. Sermon subject, "The Feat of Victory?" Anthem, "Savior, When Night Involves the Skies" (Shelley).

**Methodist.**

First Methodist, Main and First streets. Dr. Gilbert S. Cox, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock. Preaching at 10:45 o'clock by the pastor. Sermon subject, "The Will and the Way." Anthem, "I will Sing unto the Lord" (Buck). Epworth League at 7. Evening service at 8. Subject of sermon, "Clemenceau, the Patriot." Anthem, "Only Fear the Lord." (Pinham).

**First Church of Christ, Scientist.**

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 206 South Main street.—Sunday school at 9:30. Morning worship at 11 o'clock, subject of lesson sermon, "Life." Reading room in church building open each Wednesday and Saturday afternoon to the public. Mid-week prayer service Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Everyone welcome to all services and to the use of the reading room.

**CHRISTIAN CHURCH**

Services at the usual hour tomorrow. Decision Day in the Sunday School. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. R. E. Snodgrass; subject, "A Threefold Ministry." Anthem, "Bless the Lord, O My Soul" (Meredith). The evening service will be from 8 to 9 o'clock. Sermon subject, "Courage, Its Necessity, Its Optimism, Its Reward." Solo, "The Perfect Prayer," (Stenson), Miss Ruth Reuillard. Anthem, "Lord of All Things," (Pike).

**Catholic.**

St. Patrick's, Buchanan and First. Rev. Father Henry F. Niemann, pastor. Low mass at 8 o'clock a. m. High mass at 10 o'clock.

St. Mary's, South Davis street, Rev. Father Odillo Scheiber, pastor. Low mass at 8 o'clock a. m. High mass with hymns at 10 o'clock.

**BISCUITS WON HUSBAND AT 80**

**License for Aged Bride and Groom Issued in St. Joseph.**

St. Joseph, July 19.—When P. H. Sinclair of Forest City, Mo., and Mrs. Melinda C. Esterbrook of Iowa Point, Kas., both eighty years old, applied at the county recorder's office here for a marriage license yesterday, Sinclair said he was marrying Mrs. Esterbrook because she could make good biscuits. The bride-elect added that biscuit making was among her greatest accomplishments.

**Jess Too Good Looking To Lose, Says Fair Fan**

Columbus, Ohio.—She was a fair fan and was interested in the outcome of the big fight. She stood listening to a big-voiced announcement on one of the Columbus street corners.

"Dempsey wins," shouted the announcer.

"It just can't be so," said the fair one as she turned to another fair one who didn't seem to care much about the fight and who seemed to be listening to what the announcer said just because she was awaiting her "fanette" friend.

"Why can't it be true?" asked the disinterested one.

"Oh, Jess Willard was so good looking, it just can't be true," she said, as she wiped a stray tear from a pretty row of eyelashes.

Then some "mere man" made it all the more hard to bear by reminding the fair admirer of Jess that "good looks don't cut no ice in prize fightin!"

**Floating Saloon Plan a Boon to "Rum Hounds'"**

Los Angeles, Cal—"Rum hounds" in and about this city are taking hope. A "floating bar"—a ship that will take on its cargo in west Mexican ports, steam northward and lie at anchor three miles off the California shore for the benefit of the thirsty—is the latest project.

A former manager of a social club and a former owner of a cafe are said to be behind this novel enterprise. By loading the bar at a Mexican port, the originators of the plan believe they will be violating no laws.

Miss Edna King who was operated on for appendicitis Tuesday morning at St. Francis hospital, is doing nicely.

**Carries Parasol While Playing Tennis.**

Kansas City.—A certain South Side young man has found a novel way of combating the hot rays of Old Sol while playing tennis. He was seen on a local court one very hot morning, the thermometer above 90, batting the ball with a racquet held in one hand while the other hand was firmly attached to a light blue parasol.

**Captain Perrin Home Soon.**

Mrs. A. R. Perrin, Dean of Women of the State Teachers College, received a telegram from her son, Captain Charles Perrin, stating that he had landed in New York City Friday and expects to be home within a week. Captain Perrin who commanded the 306th Supply Company received his training at Camp Grant. He served overseas a year and one-half.

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**AIR "BATTLESHIPS" NEXT ON THE PROGRAM**

St. Louis, July 19.—Airships 1,100 feet in length, virtually air battleships capable of carrying an entire battalion of troops, are in prospect in the near future, according to Col. C. D. F. Chandler, head of the balloon and airship division of the United States Army, who is in this city looking for a site for an air station.

Col. Chandler was in command of the balloon service in France during the war. He visited Scott Field and Jefferson Barrack yesterday to look over proposed aviation sites.

Mrs. Maggie Basford, Mrs. Lilac Steiger, Mrs. Byron Thompson and baby and Charles Basford, all of Ravenwood, spent yesterday here with Mrs. Sarah Lyle and Mrs. Solon Clark.

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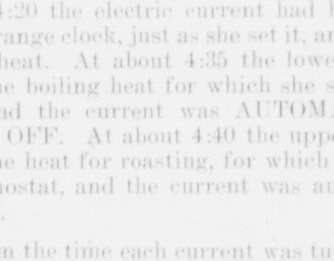

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"Before leaving for the matinee, Mrs. Goodwife placed in the large oven of her Westinghouse automatic range a six-pound roast, with potatoes, to bake, and in the small oven soup, asparagus and beets.

"She arrived home with her husband at 6—just in time for dinner, and the meal was ready to serve. The house had no cooking odors and each dish had a superior flavor from having been cooked electrically. She had only to cut the bread and bring the salad and dessert from the refrigerator and sit down to dine—coffee from the electric percolator at the table.

"At 4:20 the electric current had been turned on by the range clock, just as she set it, and the ovens began to heat. At about 4:35 the lower oven had reached the boiling heat for which she set the thermostat, and the current was AUTOMATICALLY TURNED OFF. At about 4:40 the upper oven had reached the heat for roasting, for which she had set this thermostat, and the current was automatically turned off.

"From the time each current was turned off until the doors were opened, cooking proceeded as in a fireless cooker, without further cost for current.

"The same plan can be used in cooking breakfast, made ready the night before. A savory hot cereal, delicious rolls or muffins, aromatic coffee, and boiling water to poach eggs"—all ready at whatever morning hour you set the range clock for.

Westinghouse electric ranges are made in several styles and sizes, with and without the automatic features.

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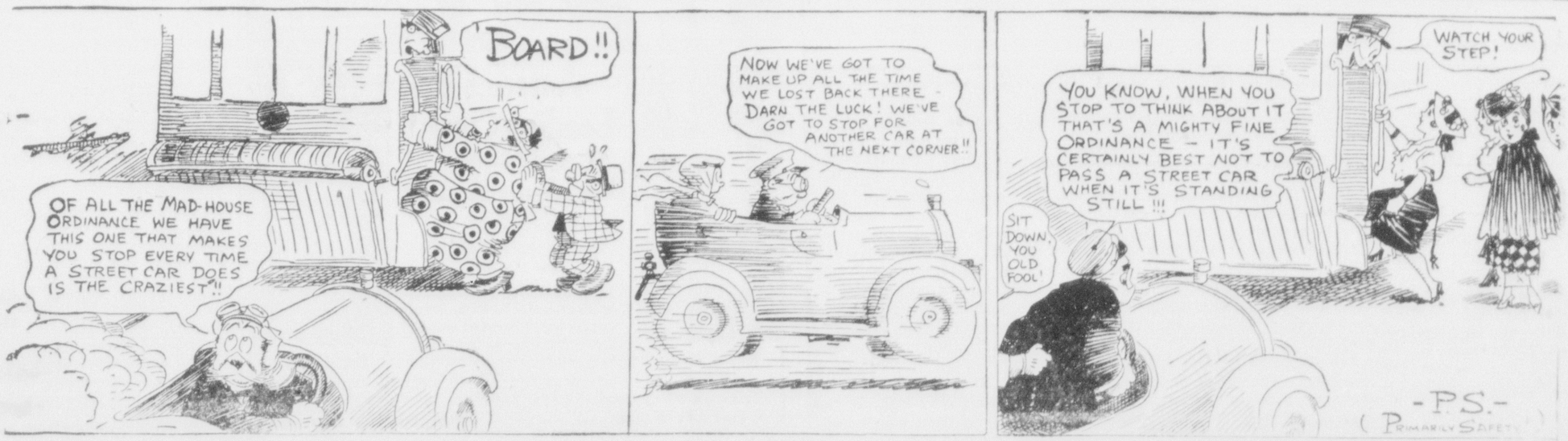
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FOR SALE—Hay press, good shape. Inquire 1502 East Edwards. 18-21*

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FOR RENT—6 room house at 1102 East Jenkins St. Inquire Louis Gram Hanamo 5542. A21tf.

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## MISCELLANEOUS

RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS Hundreds wanted. $1,100-$1,500. Age, 18-35. Experience unnecessary. Examinations everywhere August 23. For free particulars, write John Leonard (former Government Examiner) 750 Equitable Bldg. Washington. 17-19*

LOST—A bunch of keys. Return to D. R. Baker, Recorder's office. 17-19.

JUNK, JUNK—Wanted all kinds of junk and junk cars. Call or ship to Maryville Auto Wrecking Co. Hanamo 232. Farmers 75. 9-22.

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WANTED—5 bright, capable Ladies to travel, demonstrate and sell dealers. $25.00 to $50.00 per week. Railroad fare paid. Write at once. Goodrich Drug Co., Dept. 555, Omaha Neb. 5-12-19-26

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# *Rep. Kitchen Shows Republican Retrenchment Claims Misstatements*

Washington, D. C.—Republicans in Congress are still feeling the sting of Congressman Claude Kitchin's exposure of their willful mistatements about "economies" effected in appropriations. Using the published boasts of Representative Frank W. Mondell of Wyoming, Republican floor leader, and Representative Simeon D. Fess of Ohio, chairman of the Republican Congressional Committee, as his texts, Mr. Kitchin corrected what he termed "the misinformation and false impressions which have been propagandaed to the country."

Various Republican House leaders attempted to reply, but their excuses and explanations failed to stand before Mr. Kitchin's logic.

"He (Mr. Mondell) attempts to show, and in substance asserts that the Republicans within the first 30 days of this session were able to pass six general supply bills, the deficiency bills and the railroad deficiency bill which the Democrats at the last session of Congress, after three months effort, failed to pass," said Mr. Kitchin.

"He states and attempts to show that the Republicans of the House by their economy and retrenchment program in the passage of these appropriation bills had saved to the people of the United States approximately $1,500,000,000; that is, they saved, he claims, to the people and the Government in the naval bill $225,000,000, in the sundry civil appropriation bill $385,000,000 and in the railroad deficiency bill $450,000,000, totaling in round numbers $1,500,000,000.

"His statement had its intended effect. The press of the country, especially the Republican press, teemed with such headlines at 'Republicans of the House Save the Nation $1,500,000,000, Says Mr. Mondell, Republican Leader;' 'Republicans in the House in 30 Days Have Lopped Off $1,500,000,000 of Democratic Extravagance,' and so forth.

"Let us analyze this remarkable statement. Was there ever a more unfair and more unjust inference than that? Why did he not go further, unless he was imposed upon, and tell the whole truth by informing the public that the Democratic House in the last session passed every single one of these appropriation bills, and that the Democratic majority in the Senate was ready and anxious and willing to put upon the statute books every single one of these supply bills, but was prevented from doing so by a plotted and deliberate filibuster of a few Republicans in the Senate in the last few days of the session?

"The papers all over this country, including many Republican papers, condemned that filibuster and condemned the Republicans in the Senate for defeating the supply bills.

**Democrats Helped Bills.**

"The gentleman from Wyoming (Mr. Mondell) says that within 30 days the Republicans in this House passed these supply bills. If the Democrats in this House at this session had resorted to the indecent tactics of the filibuster that the Republicans in the Senate did in the last session, you could not have passed them in three or six months, but the Democrats did the patriotic thing. They co-operated to a man with you Republicans in the quick passage within 30 days of these bills.

"Let us analyze these items, the first being the $400,000,000—the army bill item. I state here and now that this did not effect the saving of a single penny to the people of the United States. What are the facts? When the Democratic committee of the last House framed and the Democratic House passed the Army appropriation bill, to which he refers, the committee, Republicans and Democrats, every one of them, and the War Department estimated that, with the big army then in France and here, amounting to about a million and half men in France and half a million or more men here, before they could possibly be returned to this country, before they could possibly be demobilized, the average army for the next fiscal year would amount to 500,000 men. They did not authorize 500,000 men. They did not authorize 200,000 or 200,000 men.

"They—that is, the bill the committee reported and the House passed—authorized no number, but there was an army of over 2,000,000 men that had to be reduced by demobilizing. A million and a half had to be brought from France. Now the proposition before the committee and the House and the War Department was this: We have this immense army. How long will it take us to demobilize them, and how much will that make this big army we started with average for the fiscal year for which we were bound to appropriate?

"All concluded that by as rapid a demobilization as then seemed possible the army would average during the year 500,000 men. Every Republican on the committee and in the House voted for that. So did every Democrat. But four months have elapsed since the adjournment of Congress.

"The committee at this session found that, owing to the wise, diligent, and efficient administration by the War Department and the Navy Department in bringing back the boys from Europe and demobilizing the army so much more rapidly than was anticipated at the last session, the average army, instead of 500,000 for the next fiscal year, would be only 400,000, and the House believed that it would be only 300,000 and so they reduced the amount of the appropriation to provide for these three of four hundred thousand men instead of the 500,000 men, as in the last session it appeared to the committee and House was necessary. That made the difference in the appropriation figures. Not a cent would have been saved, not a cent was saved, by that difference.

"The next item of the so-called savings in the political statement of the gentleman from Wyoming (Mr. Mondell) is $225,000,000 in the naval bill. This is absolutely untrue, and there is not a Republican on the Naval Affairs Committee that will approve that statement, because every single, solitary one of them knows that it is not true.

"The gentleman from Wyoming has been imposed upon. There is no doubt about it. The report of the gentleman from Pennsylvania (Mr. Butler), the able and distinguished chairman of the Naval Affairs Committee, shows that there was only a reduction in the amount of appropriation of $119,000,000—not $225,000,000. But what matters a little difference of $106,000,000 when political advantage is sought to be reaped. Mr. Butler does not attribute that reduction to Republican economy in this House. I will tell you what Mr. Butler in his honest and candid report shows. He shows that these reductions were caused by 'conditions, plans, or events occurring subsequent to the adjournment of Congress.'

"What is the change in the events and conditions, mentioned by Mr. Butler in his report? It was estimated last session by the committee and the House that the average of the enlisted men in the navy for the year would be 225,000, and an appropriation to take care of them was made, but on account of the changed conditions, the Democratic administration's efficiency in bringing the men in the army back from France and demobilizing them faster than was anticipated so that a large number of the navy personnel could be dispensed with, at this session they were enabled to reasonably estimate an average naval personnel of 193,000 men and to provide for that number instead of the 225,000 men estimated at the last session. And yet, with the facts of the record, the gentleman from Wyoming issues this propaganda throughout the length and breath of the country that the Republican House saves $225,000,000! His own committee will not sustain such a statement.

"Mr. Mondell says, further, that the Republicans of the House have saved $450,000,000 to the people in the railroad deficiency bill, and Dr. Fess, chairman of the Republican congressional committee made that identical statement on June 14 of this year in a speech on this floor. There was no such reduction in the railroad deficiency bill; there was no reduction, absolutely none.

"They saved $450,000,000 in their railroad deficiency bill over our bill, they declare. I have here in one hand the Democratic bill as it passed the House last session and failed in the Senate, and in the other I have the Republican bill as it passed the House. With the exception in the number of the Congress and the name of the introducer of the bill and the number of the bill, if these two bills are not exactly alike in every word, in every letter, in every sentence and in every figure, dollar for dollar, I will resign as a member of this House.

"A billion and a half they say they saved! Of course, this little mistake of $450,000,000 in this one item is of small consequence in the statements of the gentleman from Ohio, Dr. Fess, the Republican National Congressional Chairman, and Mr. Mondell, the Republican leader; but what in thunder did they care about a little difference of $450,000,000 in one item when they wanted to elect Republicans to office on it?

"Mr. Mondell further says in this wonderful statement that in the sundry civil bill they saved $385,000,000. They saved it, according to the report of Mr. Good, chairman of the appropriations committee, in cutting down the appropriation from the treasury for the shipping board, or Fleet Corporation, by $384,903,000. Now let us get at the real truth about these things. It does not make any difference in actual savings to the Goverment whether you appropriate or take from a Government fund which is in the shipping board's or Fleet Corporation's hands or from a Government fund in the treasury. Both funds belong to the United States Government and to the people—the taxpayers. Now is there any saving, any reduction? Not a bit. There is an expenditure provided from another fund of the Government of $55,000,000 more than we appropriated from the treasury, if Mr. Good's statement in his speech is correct.

"I wish to refer to one other so-called 'savings,' in the speech Dr. Fees made on the floor.

"Instead of the deficiency bills which they passed this session being $5,000,000 less than the deficiency bill passed at the last session and failed in the Senate, they are $40,000,000 more than that deficiency bill of last session, to which he refers. He referred to and compared the Democratic deficiency bill of $26,000,000, for which he and all other Republicans in the House at that time voted, with the one deficiency bill of $21,000,000 which passed at this session; but he overlooked and failed to state in the Record that they passed another deficiency bill at this session of $45,000,000, the two deficiency bills at this session making $40,000,000 more of deficiencies than the deficiency bill of last session."

**Missouri Bonds For Sale.**

Sealed bids will be received until 1:30 p. m. July 25, 1919, for the sale of $40,000.00 Grant Township Road Bonds, $50,000.00 Independence Township Road Bonds and until 3 o'clock p. m. on same day for sale of $50,000.00 City of Maryville Waterworks bonds, all in Nodaway County, Missouri. For information or blank form for bonds address either Fred W. Smith County Clerk or W. O. Garrett Mayor, Maryville, Missouri.

**MUNICIPAL BOND SALE.**

Sealed bids will be received for the sale of an issue of $50,000.00 waterworks bonds of the City of Maryville, Missouri, by the Mayor of said City at the city hall until 3 o'clock P. M. on Friday, July 25th, 1919. Information and blank form for bids may be obtained from the undersigned Mayor. All bids must specify the rate of interest the bidder desires the bonds to bear with the greatest amount of money he will pay for the issue of bonds ata such rate. Successful bidder to furnish bonds. Time of delivery September 1st at Maryville, Missouri. Bonds will not be sold for less than par, purchaser to pay accrued interest to date of delivery. Address all communications to W. O. Garrett Mayor, Maryville, Missouri.

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# MARKET REPORTS

**MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH**

Chicago, July 19.—Cattle, 12,000; Hogs, 30,000, top, $22.40, 40c to 75¢ lower; Sheep 24,000.

St. Joseph, July 19.—Cattle 3,500 steady to 10c lower; Hogs, 5,500, top $21.90; 25c to 40c lower; Sheep 3,500, steady.

Kansas City, July 19.—Cattle receipts, 00; no market. Hog receipts, 700; prices top. $21.80.

Kansas City, July 19.—September corn, $1.90 3-4@7-8; December, $1.60 3-4.

**PRODUCE MARKET.**

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| Fresh eggs, per dozen | 34c |
| Spring Chickens, per pound | 30c |
| Butter fat, per pound | 50c |
| Hides | 25c |
| Hens | 24c |
| Ducks, per lb | 15c |
| Geese, per pound | 12c |
| Old roosters, per pound | 12c |

# GENERAL ASSEMBLY LAWS EFFECTIVE AUGUST 7

**Opinion Given by Attorney General McAllister:: Does Not Apply to Revision Acts.**

Jefferson City, July 19.—Attorney General McAllister in an opinion prepared by special assistant Attorney General Thomas J. Cole, at request of secretary of state Sullivan, holds that the new laws enacted by the regular session of the 50th General Assembly become effective ninety days after the date of sine die adjournment.

The regular session terminated officially May 8th, consequently ninety days after that date, or August 7th all news acts of the regular session go into effect.

This does not apply to revision acts, it is understood. The opinion was prepared on a request from secretary of state John L. Sullivan as to when House Bills Numbers 693 and 694 amending the corporation laws would go into force. There was no emergency clause on the first named bill and the emergency clause on the second failed to pass.

In the opinion the following paragraph is used:

"It is therefore the opinion of this department that in pursuance of the provisions of section 8061, revised statutes of 1909, as interpreted in the latest rulings of the Supreme Court, State vs. Duvenick, 237, Missouri vs. Schenck, 238 Missouri, these bills become effective ninety days after the adjournment of the regular 1919 session of the legislature of Missouri.

Both of the cases cited by Cole were decided by Judge Franklin Ferris of St. Louis when a member of the Supreme Court.

Mrs. Gay Leeper returned last night from a vacation visit in Kansas City with her sister, Mrs. Jos. Brown.

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(Items Taken from the Nodaway Democrat of July 17, 1879.)

As yet Maryville has no park.

The Pioneer Elevator paid out some $700 on Monday for wheat and rye.

The residences of Dr. Campbell and Wm. A. Laing, in Barnard's addition, are progressing nicely.

It keeps seasonable from this on, there will be such a crop of corn in our county this fall that there will hardly be room outdoors to crib it.

By special action elsewhere Rev. A. D. Workman announces that the fall term of the Maryville academy will open next September first.

Circuit court adjourned last Friday evening, after having been in session four weeks lacking one day.

J. J. Armstrong is manufacturing at his foundry a handsome iron fence for John Wirth of Conception.

R. K. Townsend has let the contract to Conrad & Toferdale to build to the front of his residence an addition twenty-eight feet long, sixteen feet wide and twenty-eight feet in heighth. His present dwelling will also be considerably remodeled. All the work is to be done first-class and in the latest style of architecture. Wm. Thomas will do the painting.

The handsome case for keeping court papers in, put into the circuit court room just before the convening of court, proved a great convenience during the late session, and was universally commended by the members of the bar. It was manufactured by Chas. Lippman for the special purpose.

Ed Townsend bought a year ago last spring eighty acres of prairie land adjoining his farm, five miles northwest of Maryville. He had it broken and fenced, and sowed in fall wheat last fall. It is now harvested and he has just finished threshing fifty-four acres of it. Twenty-two acres averaged thirty seven bushels and the fifty-four acres averaged thirty-two bushels.


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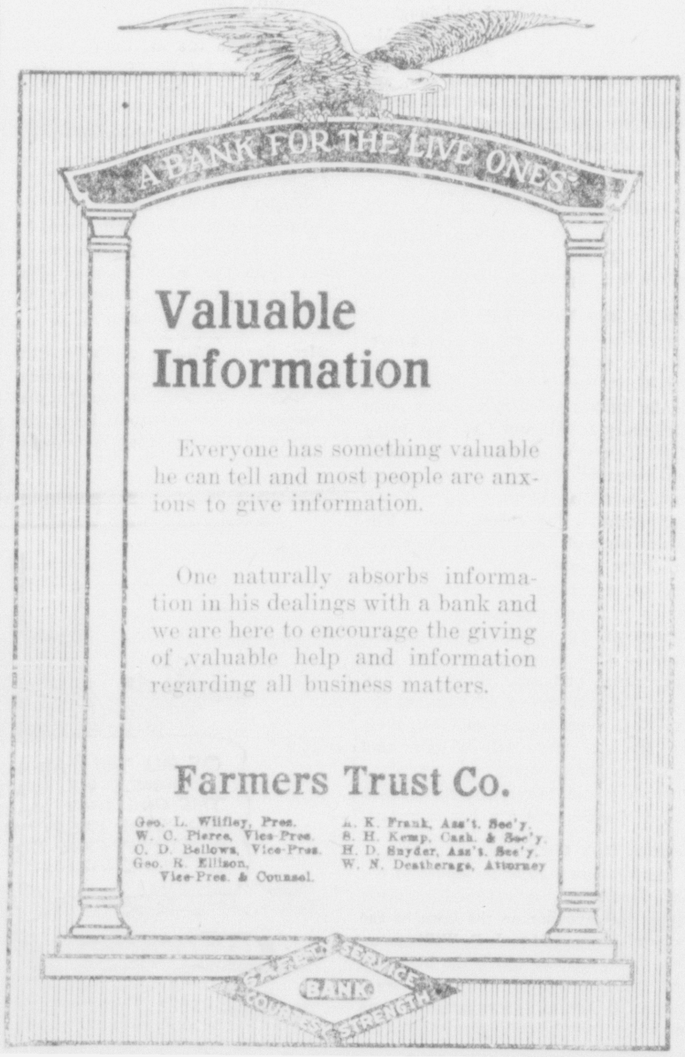
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